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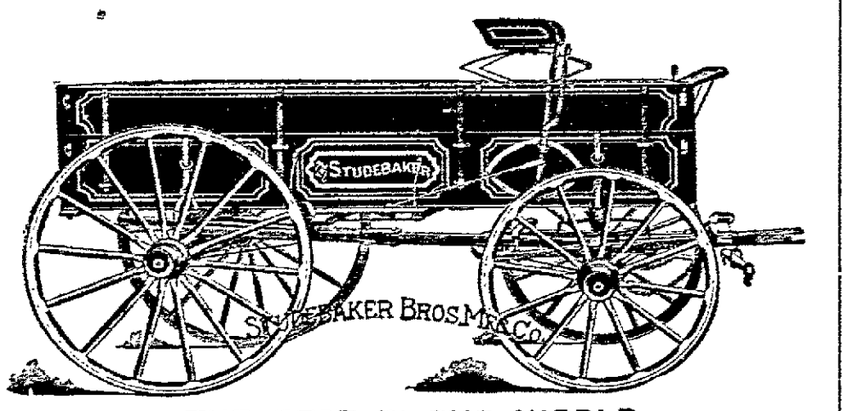

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FRENCH IN MADAGASCAR

Engagements in Which Hovas Were Defeated with Great Loss.

A FRENCH ATTACK ON MIADANE.

The Enemy Routed, a Hundred Killed and Many Wounded—The Paris Soir Declares That Ex-Consul Waller Acted as a Spy for the Hovas.

PARIS, April 24.—Official dispatches from Madagascar state that the Hovas have gathered large forces along the chief routes to Antananarivo from Tamatave Diego Suarez and Mojunga. Throughout the island posts with several hundred men stationed at each have been established.

A French gunboat has ascended the Betsiboke river and silenced a Hova battery. The enemy were driven out with a loss of eight killed. Two cannons were captured. The population of the village gathered around the tombs of the chiefs in order to defend them, but on finding that the French respected the graves, they yielded and asked protection against the Hovas who had another camp of 3,000 men at Miadane, on the other side of the river.

General Metzinger, with four companies of infantry and artillery, attacked Madane on April 3 and routed the enemy, killing 100 and wounding many. The French loss was three wounded.

The Soir states that ex-American Consul John I. Waller, who was brought from Madagascar to Marseilles under arrest, acted as the medium between the Hovas and the English for the conveyance of orders for munitions and arms. When France declared war against the Hovas Waller, according to The Soir, acted as a spy at Majunga, and by means of waving different colored lanterns at night advised the Hovas of the movements of the French This once nearly resulted in 600 French troops falling into the hands of the enemy.

The Union Label Not a Trade Mark.

ST. LOUIS, April 24.—The case of the state vs. Nathan Bailenzheimer, who was convicted in the St. Louis criminal court of counterfeiting the union label of the Cigarmakers' union, reversed the finding of the lower court, on the grounds that a trade mark must be a mark or label used by a certain party to designate his goods The union label is not a trade mark. It is one of the indispensable requisites to a valid trade mark that it should point out the true origin or ownership of a vendible commodity to which it is fixed This label does not have this quality.

Russian Warships in Japanese Waters.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 24.—The Sviet declares that Russia has concentrated in Japanese waters twenty-two warships, carrying 360 guns and a large body of men. This fleet, it is added, with the French squadron, makes a total of thirty-seven warships, carrying 610 guns. Moreover, according to The Sviet, a Russian army of 20,000 men could occupy Jesso and take Japan in flank should trouble arise.

PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE.

An Compulsory Education Bill Now Awaits the Governor's Signature.

HARRISBURG, April 24.—Yesterday was a busy day in the house The members started in with a determination to do something, and they succeeded by disposing of ten bills on second reading on special orders and several others on final passage. The greater Pittsburg bills went through second reading with ease. The bitter fight promised by the opposition did not materialize. Among other bills which passed second reading was one taxing aliens and making their employers responsible for the payment of the tax.

These bills passed finally: For the annual organization of school controllers in third class cities, and regulating the levy and collection of school taxes: to prohibit the levying or collection of a personal business tax on traveling salesmen by municipalities; amending the semi-monthly pay law so as to make it mandatory; to establish a state school board and provide for the purchase of school books at the lowest prices.

The senate made a good impression on its calendar. Fourteen bills passed finally among them house bill to provide for compulsory education; to provide for the incorporation of companies to construct tunnels and underground passage ways; to authorize mutual savings fund, loan or building associations to issue two or more classes of stock; taxing certain stocks and fixing premiums for loans; to permit the taking of one acre, instead of one-half acre, as provided by law, of certain burial places for school purposes; to authorize the keeping in proper repair by county commissioners of the course or bed of any public road within their respective counties leading to either end of a county bridge erected across any river in this state, and to reconstruct the same; to reduce taxation on real estate and to equalize the same between real and personal property.

The nomination of T. H. B Lyon, of Mahanoy City, as orphans' court judge of Schuylkill county was unanimously confirmed.

Riotous Chinese Soldiers.

HONG KONG, April 24.—There has been rioting among the Chinese soldiers in the northern portion of the Island of Formosa, and twenty-eight persons, including two officers, have been killed, and in addition fifty persons were wounded.

A Youthful Burglar's Second Sentence.

CONCORD, N. H., April 24.—James McAvoy, of this city, aged 19 years, a criminal with one state prison sentence on his record, was yesterday sentenced to ten years in the state prison for burglary.

Attempts to Poison a Family.

FINDLAY, O., April 24.—Two mysterious attempts have been made recently to poison the family of Frank H. O'Dell, an oil operator. On Easter Sunday Mrs. O'Dell and two of her children were attacked with the same symptoms. Two physicians who were called saved their lives, but both declared that arsenic poison had been administered to the patients, probably in the milk they used in their coffee. There is no clew to the perpetrator of the crime.

THE NEW JERSEY INQUISITION

A State Official Who Furnished Maps Without Authority.

TRENTON, April 24.—The senate investigating committee took up the question of the printing of the reports of the state board of assessors and the furnishing of maps therewith.

It was shown that the total number of maps paid for during these years reached 41,000 and that they had been billed to the state by the different contractors who printed the reports, although the maps were not called for by the specifications.

The contractors bought the maps from Colonel John T. Van Cleef, secretary of the board of assessors, paying him the same price as was charged the state, less a 10 per cent. discount. Contractors swore that their authority for furnishing the maps was Colonel Van Cleef himself, and that they had billed the maps to the state and paid the money over to Van Cleef, less the commission.

Colonel Van Cleef admitted that he had furnished the maps charged against the state, but he persisted in refusing to state where he had the maps printed. When asked if he thought it was right for him, as a state official, to sell goods to the state the witness answered that the map was the result of a year and a half's work, and that he thought he was entitled to the profits of his industry At this point the committee decided to postpone any further questioning of Mr. Van Cleef until next Tuesday.

Mr. Corbin next directed his attention to the Delaware Bay and Maurice Cove Oyster association, which, under the law authorizing its existence, is directed to pay into the state treasury all receipts from licenses of oyster boats in excess of $2,000 a year. This, Mr. Corbin said, had not been done for two years at least. This matter may come up again on Tuesday next.

The Standard's Legal Victory.

BROOKLYN, April 24.—The suit of Mrs. Caroline Girty against the Standard Oil company was tried before Judge Cullen yesterday. Mrs. Girty claimed that she had deeded $100,000 worth of property to the company as the result of fraud and duress. The company's counsel admitted the transfer of property, but denied the fraud He said that George W. Girty, the husband of the woman, since deceased, had embezzled $275,000; that he confessed the embezzlement, and that the plaintiff requested the company to allow him to make restitution and save his good name. She surrendered her property voluntarily, and Girty was continued in the company's employ, but not in a position of responsibility. Mrs. Girty swore to the facts contained in her complaint. She is 73 years old and feeble. Justice Cullen dismissed the case.

Wants to Marry; Ergo, Must be Insane.

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., April 24.—Lord Sholto C. Douglass, son of the Marquis of Queensbury, was arrested yesterday afternoon, charged with insanity. He is a fine looking young man, about 20 years of age, and has been here several months, having charge of forty acres of land belonging to the marchioness, and since his arrival here up to about a month ago has been an exemplary young man. A short time ago he commenced visiting Bakersfield, and became infatuated with a variety girl, and, it is said, became engaged to her. Yesterday he went to the clerk's office and obtained a license to marry her. His friends heard of it, and had him arrested for insanity.

Good Haul by Postoffice Thieves.

NYACK, N. Y., April 24.—The postoffice here was entered during the night and robbed of nearly $1,500 in money and postage stamps. The thieves gained entrance through a rear window and drilled a hole in the safe near the combination. The bolts were then pulled back and the door opened.

The Protest Against Japanese Extension.

BERLIN, April 24.—The action of France, Russia and Germany has not yet exceeded a friendly, but energetic protest against the Japanese annexing any part of the Chinese mainland, but it is said that the Russian minister at Pekin has already been instructed to negotiate with the Tsung-Li-Yamen, the Chinese foreign office, regarding the cession of Chinese territory which Russia demands in compensation for the Japanese acquirings. China, being unable to reject Russia's demands, hopes to confine them to the cession of a portion of Manchuria and an ice free port.

Two Miners Crushed to Death.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., April 24.—William Moscriskie, a miner, and Stanislaus Stepeck, his laborer, were instantly killed by a fall of rock in the turn shaft at Pittston Junction. They had fired a shot and were returning to the face of the chamber when a mass of rock weighing several tons fell on them, crushing both men into a shapeless mass.

Thieving Postoffice Clerk in Savannah.

SAVANNAH, April 24.—Elliott F. Page, a distributor in the postoffice here, was arrested for opening mail matter. He was held in default of $3,000 bail.

NUGGETS OF NEWS

Massillon (O.) coal operators have ended the rate war by establishing the price at $1 per ton.

At Tallahassee, Fla., Henry Bernreuter, aged 14, died of hydrophobia, caused by the bite of a cat.

A scheme to thwart justice by fraudulent bail has been unearthed in New York, and several warrants of arrest have been issued.

M. B. Lemon, member of the Pennsylvania legislature from Allegheny, whose illness in New York has been reported, may die at any moment.

A portion of the Chalfont Manufacturing company's works at Lancaster, Pa., was destroyed by fire last night, causing from $10,000 to $15,000 loss.

Major E. C. Dawes, brother of ex-Congressman R. R. Dawes, and a prominent member of the Loyal Legion, died in Cincinnati shortly after midnight this morning.

Ten dairies in Peabody, Mass., have been quarantined on account of the death of two children in Lynn, caused by drinking milk from cattle afflicted with tuberculosis.

SMUGGLED IN COFFINS.

How the Wily Chinamen Gain Access to Our Shores.

DEATH CERTIFICATES FORGED.

The Coffins Containing the Live Celestials Were Perforated, and the Scheme Was Worked by an Organized Gang—The Story Declared "Absurd and Impossible."

MONTREAL, April 24.—A novel mode of smuggling Chinamen into the United States has just been brought to light by the shrewd work of the United States customs officials of this city. About a year ago an organized gang of smugglers was frightened off by the same officials, their chief point of operation then being Richford, Vt.

Not to be outwitted, the leaders of the gang put their heads together, and last month devised another means of getting the Celestials across the line. This time the wily Chinamen were consigned to rude pine coffins, with concealed air holes, and, with the aid of forged death certificates, were safely shipped from St. John, N. B., to Vanceboro, Me., where the supposed corpses were claimed by one of the smugglers. After staying in hiding for several days the "corpse," attired as a female, would be spirited away under cover of night, and before morning dawned was safely lodged in either Boston, Springfield or New York.

When this new means of entrance into the United States territory became generally known among the resident Chinamen at Vancouver they took steps to instruct their friends from the flowery kingdom as soon as they arrived on the Pacific coast of the manner of gaining access to the land of the free.

Arrived in Montreal, the Celestials were taken in hand by the smugglers, who shipped them this time to Quebec, and from there over the Intercolonial railway to St. John, N. B., where other members of the gang ran them into the states as dead Chinese.

The Story Declared Absurd.

ST. JOHN, N. B., April 24.—The collector of customs at this port, when shown the dispatch from Montreal about Chinamen having been smuggled from this city to the United States in perforated coffins, said the statement was perfectly absurd. Such a thing was an impossibility.

Desperate Fight Between Convicts.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., April 24.—Two colored convicts, Jackson and Tuller, engaged in a desperate fight in the Indiana state prison, South Jeffersonville. Jackson and Tuller have been enemies for some time. As the men were marching to breakfast Tuller applied an epither to Jackson, and instantly they came to blows. Jackson was cut across the abdomen, face and arms. Dr. Peyton, the prison physician, cannot determine how seriously Jackson is cut, but considers his condition very serious.

Iron Furnaces Closed Down.

NEW CASTLE, Pa., April 24.—Every furnace shut down last evening. The men have asked their employers to restore the wages of a year ago, and they have given the owners twenty-four hours to determine the matter. The latter declined to take the time, but decided to close at once. The men refused to coke down the furnaces, and the clerks and owners were obliged to do the work. The old wages gave the keepers $2.25 per day, and they now receive $1.75.

Distillery Owners Ignore Law.

PARIS, Ky., April 24.—Prosecuting Attorney C. Arnspargar issued warrants for Durner, Block & Co., of Cincinnati, owners of the Peacock distillery here. They have been running slop from their distillery into Stoner creek, killing fish and endangering the health of the residents along the creek since last November. The fine is $1,000 a day, and will amount to $200,000 should the law be enforced.

Counterfeiters in the Tennessee Mountains.

CHATTANOOGA, April 24.—Deputy Marshal George D. Barnes has just returned from the mountains of Bradley county, where he located a gang of counterfeiters who have been operating for some time. The officer was working alone, and did not attempt the arrest, but reported here that there are six men engaged in the work, and a posse will be organized at once to apprehend them.

Bank Cashier's Big Shortage.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., April 24.—James R. Holland, cashier of the Merchants and Farmers' National bank of this city, has been discovered short in his accounts to the amount of $75,000. Bank Examiner Miller was the discoverer of Holland's shortage. The city is much excited over the trouble, but no run on the bank will occur, as it is considered perfectly solvent.

Forest Fire Near Egg Harbor City.

EGG HARBOR CITY, N. J., April 24.—A forest fire started yesterday two squares from the well built portion of this city, and burned throughout the day. The building of Andrew Bleetner was burned to the ground, and the adjacent building of F Schulz was saved with difficulty The Catholic church was threatened, but hard work by the firemen saved it. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

Chicago Wine Comes Cheap.

Customer—A table d'hote dinner, including a bottle of good wine, for 75 cents? Yes, that's cheap enough, but I don't care for any wine, and I can't afford it. How much will it be without the wine?

Waiter—I'll do what's right with you, boss. You can have the dinner without the wine for 70 cents, sah.—Chicago Tribune.

Marriage a Success.

Foreign Visitor—I am told American marriages are generally happy.

Mr. Gotham—Oh, perfectly. The husband is devoted to business, the wife to society, and they hardly ever meet.

ANOTHER FAIR WILL CLAIMANT.

The Document Presented by "Helen McDermott" Is Rather Transparent.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 24.—A few days ago a middle aged woman called on a well known local attorney and introduced herself as Helen McDermott. According to her story Senator Fair was the father of a son born to her about a year before the senator's death. She says that shortly after the child was born the late senator called on her, and in the presence of her father and some intimate friends had made a statement acknowledging the parentage, and a few weeks later a document was signed by which she was to be allowed $200,000 for the education and maintenance of the child.

She produced a document which resembled the writing of Senator Fair to support her argument. The attorney thought her story somewhat fishy, but took the document as evidence. He called on the Fair estate attorneys to let them know that they might prepare for a contest from her.

Carroll Cook heard of the affair, and recognized in the woman a former client named Helen Palacids, who made serious charges against a San Mateo capitalist, but on investigation her attorneys discovered her true character and dropped the case. She almost went to prison for her offense, but the attorneys appealed for her and she went free. She had been mixed up in several queer schemes since her exposure. A queer thing about the Fair will document is the fact that it is dated Aug. 4, 1895, eight months after Fair's death. Fair died only four months ago, and Aug. 4, 1895, is still four months in the future. None of the attorneys to whom she applied noticed the discrepancy.

British Warships at Nicaragua.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—The Nicaraguan minister here has received a cablegram from his government announcing the arrival at Corinto, Nicaragua, of two British warships, with the expressed purpose of enforcing the demands contained in the British ultimatum. The indications now are that Nicaragua will offer a passive resistance to the British demands for some time at least, and meanwhile the United States will do nothing but await the development of events, unless the British take some action that affects our purely selfish interests. This attitude is assumed in the full confidence that no attempt will be made by the British to secure any Nicaraguan territory, no matter what course she may be obliged to pursue to accomplish her purposes of collecting the "smart money" demanded for the expulsion of Vice Consul Hatch.

Japan Will Not Control Chinese Imports.

YOKOHAMA, April 24.—It is officially denied that the Chinese customs, by the terms of the treaty of peace with Japan, are placed under Japanese control. The stipulation says that on the payment of the first two instalments of the indemnity by China Wei-Hai-Wei will be evacuated, provided China pledges her customs revenue in order to insure the payment of the balance due. This, it is added, is optional and might never take effect. At present there is no intention of touching the customs revenue of China, much less placing it under the control of Japan.

Paris Strikers Rioting.

PARIS, April 24.—The omnibus and tramway strikers are becoming violent. An excited meeting of the omnibus strikers ended in the men rushing out of the hall shouting: "Death to the blacklegs. Overturn the cars." The strikers then proceeded to attack the train cars and omnibuses of the main boulevards and to ill treat the drivers. Several cars were overturned and the windows of others smashed. The Republican Guards eventually dispersed the rioters, making several arrests.

St. Louis Bricklayers on Strike.

ST. LOUIS, April 24.—The strike of bricklayers and hod carriers has become general. Blacks and whites are out, and many bosses say they will take a rest until the men are willing to return to work. The men have been getting 30 cents and 32½ cents an hour. They now ask an advance of 2½ cents an hour. The bosses promised to give these wages June 1. This offer was not accepted, and the men have gone out.

Maine Mill Workers Threaten to Strike.

BIDDEFORD, Me., April 24.—The industrial situation in Biddeford has assumed a serious aspect, and today indications point to a strike of the operatives in the Pepperell and Laconia mills, 3,500 in number, on May 1. The loom fixers and mule spinners of the mills recently requested an increase in wages, but the company is not inclined to advance wages yet.

Great Britain Is Satisfied.

LONDON, April 24.—The Daily News says it understands that the government will not join in any combination of powers to interfere with the results of the Japanese victories. The ministers were willing and anxious to avert the war, but they do not consider that British interests are injuriously affected by the terms of peace.

Censuring Secretary Morton.

OMAHA, Neb., April 24.—The Omaha Live Stock exchange adopted resolutions censuring Secretary of Agriculture Morton for his "erroneous idea which is at present working to the great detriment of the cattle interests of the country in creating a wrong impression as to the relative cost of cattle and beef."

A Fugitive Mill Treasurer.

FALL RIVER, Mass., April 24.—Thomas S. Borden, agent and treasurer of the Metacomet and Anawan mills, has fled from the city. He is short in his accounts to the extent of $60,000, and warrants for his arrest have been issued.

Respite for a Pennsylvania Murderer.

HARRISBURG, April 24.—Governor Hastings granted a respite to John Eisminger, of Greene county, for thirty days. Eisminger was sentenced to be hanged on May 7.

Another Legal Holiday for New York.

ALBANY, April 24.—In the assembly last night the bill to make Lincoln's birthday a legal holiday—Feb. 12—was passed without a dissenting vote.

THE INCOME TAX CASES

Supreme Court Acts on the Petition for a Rehearing.

TO LISTEN TO ARGUMENTS MAY 6.

Justice Jackson Will be Present, and It Is Hoped and Believed by Officials of the Treasury Department That the Rehearing Will be Granted.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—The United States supreme court, through Chief Justice Fuller, made the following order in regard to the petitions for a rehearing in the income tax question: "The consideration of the two petitions (the income tax petitions) for rehearing is reserved until Monday, May 6, when a full bench is expected, and in that event two counsel on a side will be heard at that time."

Although the order does not explicitly so state, it means that argument will be heard, not on the merits of the income tax question itself, but on the question whether or not there shall be a rehearing of the suits heretofore decided. This argument, it is expected, will include the extent to which the rehearing shall go.

The course adopted by the court is a most unusual one, and gentlemen familiar with its procedure for many years can recollect but one instance in which a like action has been taken, and that was in the seventies. The decision of the court to permit an oral argument on the motion for a rehearing in these cases was not arrived at until yesterday, and this action was based upon information received by the chief justice direct from Justice Jackson indicating the probability of his being able to attend upon the sitting of the court early in May.

It is understood that the decision of the court to depart from its almost unbroken custom of deciding upon the advisability of rehearings without inviting further suggestion from counsel than is contained in brief written statements is due to the appreciation which the members have of the vast importance of the income tax cases and to their desire to have it understood by the public that they are not disposed to place any obstacle in the way of the fullest possible presentation of the case.

The usual practice with regard to petitions for rehearing is to grant them upon the motion of one of the members of the court who has concurred in the decision already made, but it would appear from the course taken in the present instance that none of the justices felt disposed to make such a motion, and that the arrangement now announced was hit upon as a compromise. Justice Jackson, therefore, will virtually come into the case as an umpire. In the meantime the original decision will be allowed to stand as the law, and it is understood that the full text of the chief justice's opinion will soon be given to the public.

Nothing is known as to whether or not the rehearing, if ordered, will take place at this term of court. Ordinarily the court would take a recess from May 6 for two weeks, and then adjourn until next October, but it is within its discretion to continue the term indefinitely, and it is not impossible that it may be extended in the event a rehearing is decided upon.

The news of the action of the court was received at the treasury department with much satisfaction, especially as it was announced that Justice Jackson would be present and take part in the determination of the question. This order of the court is regarded by some of the officials as almost conclusive that a reargument will be granted.

Without any positive knowledge on the subject it seems to be the general belief that Justice Jackson is predisposed in favor of the constitutionality of the law, and hence would be very likely to vote for a rehearing. A rehearing is earnestly desired by the income tax officials, as, with a full bench, there necessarily will be a full majority for or against the law, which would certainly have the effect of doing away with the vast amount of litigation now promised.

Green Goods Men Bagged.

PHILADELPHIA, April 24.—G. W. Robinson, John Brash and Samuel Wilkinson, notorious New York green goods men, were inveigled to this city by a decoy message last night, and are now locked up at police headquarters. The detectives learned that the men had been corresponding with George Hofer, of Bryn Mawr, and sent a telegram signed with his name, making an appointment. The men appeared promptly and were taken into custody. Robinson had nearly $2,000 of good money, made up in various packages, and a loaded revolver; Brash $23 and two tin boxes, one filled with green goods and the other with 10,000 stamped envelopes addressed throughout the country, and Wilkinson had $1.

Alleged Incendiary Arrested.

HAZLETON, Pa., April 24.—John Oshman was arrested at Freeland, charged with arson in setting fire to the cattle yards of Matthias Schwabe, at South Heberton, which were destroyed on Sunday night, entailing a loss of $10,000. Oshman was seen in the vicinity shortly before the fire was discovered. 'Squire Buckley committed him to the county jail to await trial.

A Youthful Murderer on Trial.

NEW YORK, April 24.—Charles Kannegieser, 16 years old, was placed on trial before Judge Cowing yesterday afternoon for assault in the first degree. The charge is that the defendant killed Charles Jeroloman, a lad of about the same age, on Feb. 18 last. The two boys got into a fight and a blow on the head caused Jeroloman's death.

Another Victim of the Brooklyn Riot.

BROOKLYN, April 24.—The second victim of Sunday night's battle in Williamsburg, when Italians used Winchesters rifles and revolvers to settle a feud of long standing, died in the Eastern District hospital. He was Carmine Sesca of No. 185 Union avenue, and was the leader of the faction.

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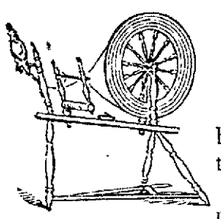

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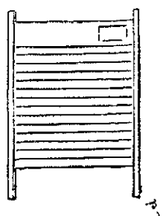

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Double Drowning Mystery Unraveled.

CHICAGO, April 24.—The identity of the woman who drowned herself and the little boy in the lake on Monday has been established. She was Mrs. Mattie D. Morrison, of Clifton, Ills., and the boy was her son. The woman was divorced from James T. Morrison, a real estate dealer, two years ago. No reason is known for the suicide, save that she in some way was disappointed because her husband had married again.

Escaped the Death Sentence.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 24.—The Turkish soldier, Mustapha, who on Jan. 31 ran amuck in the Pankaldi Karter, of this city, killing Mr. Stupe, an American, director of the Metropolitan Railway of Constantinople, and two other men, and wounding ten others, has escaped the death sentence that was imposed upon him on March 11. His sentence has been commuted to fifteen years' penal servitude.

Vienna Women Rush to See a Murderer

VIENNA, April 24.—A murder trial that excited widespread interest has just closed here in the conviction of the accused, a man named Eichinger, who killed his employer, a lawyer named Rothziegel. The courtroom was densely crowded with women, morbidly curious to hear the sentence of death, which was almost a foregone conclusion, passed upon the prisoner. So eager were these women to gain admission that they struggled with each other for precedence, with utter disregard of their clothing. After the rush for admission had subsided two piles of silk skirts, parasols, bonnets and other wearing apparel were collected from the streets.

Death Rather Than Imprisonment.

NEW YORK, April 24.—Julia Gross, the 16-year-old girl who disappeared from her home on East Twelfth street on Saturday night and returned on Monday, was found lying dead yesterday in the yard of her residence. Her skull was crushed and she must have been instantly killed. There seems no doubt that the girl committed suicide by jumping from a window on the fourth floor. The motive for the girl's suicide is that her parents intended to send her away to the House of the Good Shepherd. Rather than go there she preferred to kill herself.

Death of Ex-Senator Wilson.

FAIRFIELD, Ia., April 24.—Ex-United States Senator James F. Wilson died at his home here from paralysis of the brain, aged 66. Death had been expected daily for the past week. He had never recovered from an attack of grip two years ago. In 1869 President Grant offered Mr. Wilson a place in his cabinet as secretary of state, to succeed Elisha B. Washburne, appointed minister to France, but Mr. Wilson peremptorily refused to accept the position second-hand.

County Treasurer Forced to Resign.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., April 24.—George H. Hall, Jr., county collector of Buchanan county, resigned his office, and Edward J. Breen was appointed as his successor by Governor Stone. The resignation was the outcome of a discovery that Hall was about $18,000 short in his accounts during his first term, which shortage was made good by his bondsmen. The county court, however, refused to accept the new bond filed by Hall, and the resignation followed.

A Peddler Fatally Beaten.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., April 24.—J. A. Wood, a jewelry peddler who claims he lives near Cleveland, O., was stopped at Hinchman Bend, fifteen miles south of this city, in the early evening, while riding horseback, by three young men named Brumfield, from Lincoln county. He was taken from his horse, tied to a bush and horribly lacerated with hickory switches. He is now in a horrible condition, with no hopes of recovery.

Proposed Carlisle-Blackburn Debate.

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 24.—A strong effort is being made by the chamber of commerce to arrange for a joint debate between Secretary of the Treasury Carlisle and Senator J. C. Blackburn on the currency question in this city at an early date. Senator Blackburn is said to have agreed to such a meeting.

North Carolina Bank Looted.

RALEIGH, April 24.—The Farmers' bank at Roxboro was robbed Monday night, and all the money in the safe taken. The amount realized by the robbers is not known, and there is no clew. A reward of $1,000 is offered for the robbers.

Many Drowned by Floods.

ODESSA, April 24.—The river Dnieper has overflowed its banks and flooded portions of the governments of Kieff and Tchernigoff. Many persons have been drowned and immense damage has been done to crops and property.

Eckels Will Not Enter Journalism.

WASHINGTON, April 24.—James H. Eckels, comptroller of the currency, has declined an offer to become financial editor of the Chicago Times-Herald at a large salary.

Mrs. Parnell Much Worse.

BORDENTOWN, N. J., April 24.—Mrs. Parnell is now in a critical condition. She had several convulsions yesterday and has grown much weaker. The convulsions continued throughout the day, and at midnight Mrs. Parnell was so much worse that the physicians in attendance despaired of her life. They said they would not be surprised if she did not live through the night. The county officials are being urged by the citizens to offer a reward for the arrest of the assailant of the aged woman, but the officials are slow in acting on the case.

A Binghamton Baby.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Sept. 21, 1893. Dr. Hand's Colic Cure brought a blessing to my house. My baby is eleven weeks old and had the colic since birth every day. Dr. Hand's Colic Cure gave him instant relief and I shall always recommend Dr. Hand's Remedies for Children to all my friends.—Mrs. A. H. Gaige, 198 Nestle avenue. Dr. Hand's Colic Cure and Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion at all drug stores, 25c. 3

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Double Murder in Florida.

OCALA, Fla., April 24.—Henry Subers, while intoxicated and eating oysters in Antonio Taffoletto's store at Marti City, objected to Italian bystanders talking in their native language. He shot and killed Pietro Volpoto and Leopoldo Ressiue, and seriously wounded Taffoletto. He fled on horseback, and took a train at a distant station and escaped. Subers keeps a saloon in a Texas frontier town.

Yesterday's National League Games.

At Louisville—Louisville, 18; Chicago, 14. At Baltimore—Baltimore, 16; Philadelphia, 10. At New York—Brooklyn, 10; New York, 7. At Washington—Washington, 4; Boston, 1. At St. Louis—St. Louis, 13; Cleveland, 11. At Cincinnati—Pittsburg, 6; Cincinnati, 3.

Mr. Roosevelt's New Job.

NEW YORK, April 24.—United States Civil Service Commissioner Theodore B. Roosevelt has decided to accept one of the police commissionerships tendered to him by Mayor Strong, certain questions which caused him to hesitate having been arranged satisfactorily.

Knocked Out in Nine Rounds.

ALTON, Ills., April 24.—Patrick Slavin, of San Francisco, and Jack McCarthy, of Chicago, fought on an island near this city, at welterweights. The fight lasted nine rounds. McCarthy was knocked out by a blow on the point of the chin.

A Missing Heir Discovered.

MARIETTA, O., April 24.—Eppes Sargent, an attorney, has discovered through Mr. D. W. Dye, of this city, the whereabouts of the long lost son of Edward Alfred McDonald, son of Lord Greenville, England. The mother of the boy was Lou Kountz, of Washington county, who went to England and married McDonald, but ran away from him, taking their son, whom she kept in seclusion while she led an abandoned life in Columbus, O. McDonald died recently, willing $2,000,000 to this son. Mr. Dye married a half sister to Lou Kountz, and was able to identify the boy.

SEVENTY-SIX YEARS OLD.

The American Odd Fellow, His Strange Creation and His Phenomenal Growth.

American Odd Fellowship will soon be a veteran of 76 years, and on April 26 the anniversary of the foundation of the popular order will be celebrated by nearly 1,000,000 members of the society in America. Seventy-six years ago Thomas Wildey, an Englishman who had located in Baltimore and was fairly because Englishmen were not popular then on account of the recent war proposed to John Welch, John Duncan, John Cheatham and Richard Rushwort, that they relieve the monotony of life by organizing an Odd Fellows' lodge resembling the one he had belonged to in England. On April 26, 1819, these five men met at the Seven Stars tavern and instituted the first lodge, which they called Washington lodge, No. 1. The five men were not well educated or particularly refined, and they had little influence in Baltimore, but Wildey was a born leader of men, and before he died, in 1861, the order he had founded had a membership of 200,000.

In his great work he had the able assistance of James L. Ridgely, a native American who was educated and refined

THOMAS WILDEY

and a lawyer of high standing. He excelled as an organizer and was very instrumental in making the order the great organization that it is.

Thomas Wildey was born in London in 1781 and became a wagon maker's apprentice at the age of 14. While still bound to his employer he became an Odd Fellow, and with a few associates instituted a lodge in a remote part of London. The order was started in England over a century and a half ago much the same as Wildey started the American order. A number of congenial spirits got together of a Saturday night, swapped stories and had a good time. From this beginning came Manchester Unity, the English Order of Odd Fellows and the prototype of the American order. The Rebekah degree for women was instituted in 1850 and was the creation of Schuyler Colfax, afterward vice president of the United States.

The present officers of the sovereign grand lodge of Odd Fellows in America are the following: J. B. Stebbins of Albion, N. Y., grand sire; Fred Carleton of Texas, deputy grand sire; T. A. Ross of Baltimore, grand secretary, and Isaac Shepard of Philadelphia, grand treasurer.

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one door from Academy avenue, Middletown. With a new building, improved machinery and the best of facilities, employing none but the most experienced workmen, we are prepared to give the best satisfaction to the most fastidious and exacting. All goods called for and delivered. City Agencies have been established at the following places, where packages may be left and when done will be delivered to your home or place of business, as desired: E. A. Say r, 12 North street; O. S. Cooper, 9 West Main street; D. Babcock, cor. Lake and Wickham avenues; T. Ochalan, 285 North street; Smith & Co., Beattie and Prince streets. Family washing taken by the week or piece. On all work entrusted to our care, we guarantee satisfaction. Respectfully,

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OVER THE SHAWANGUNKS.

WHAT OUR NEIGHBORS IN SULLIVAN COUNTY ARE DOING.

All the News from All Parts of the County—Many Matters of Interest Condensed from our Sullivan Exchanges and Contributed by Wide-Awake Correspondents.

—A blue stone dealer at Liberty has orders for over 13,000 feet of flagging, to be laid in that village.

—The work of enlarging the Lutheran chapel in Liberty will be begun in a few days.

—H. C. Winant has been appointed postmaster at Fallsburgh, in place of H. W. Seeley, removed. Mr. Seeley had held the office for about a quarter of a century.

—D. B. Wickham has leased the Liberty House stables, and purchased of T. H. Houlihon his entire livery stock.

—Newkirk & Co., of Liberty, have sold four carloads of horses, this spring.

—Over seventy-five applications for a position as teacher in the Liberty Union school have been received. They come from nearly every State, Texas and South Dakota being represented in the list.

—"Ye Lancashire Inn," Liberty, will be opened May 15th. It will be a high priced house, the rates for transients being $3 and $4 a day.

BLOOMINGBURG.

No Services in the Reformed Church.—Stricken With Paralysis.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—There was no service in the Reformed church, Sunday, owing to the absence of the pastor.

—Mrs. J. E. Winter has suffered a paralytic stroke.

—Seegar & Redfield have built a fine little barn for Capt. Hanghey.

—Farmers have commenced plowing.

CHESTER.

Fraternal Visits Among K. of P.'s—Building Contracts—Walton Hose Company's Drama—Personal Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—Charles Masten has taken a position as clerk in G. W. Masten's store.

—A drama will be produced under the auspices of Walton Hose Company, at Bodle's Opera House, May 10th.

—Fred Volmer is putting a new tin roof on his store.

—W. H. Bennet has the contract to build Fred Conklin's barn.

—Miss Etta Smith has accepted a position as bookkeeper in Paterson.

—M. Jonas and Police Justice Sweezy, of Goshen, visited Chester Lodge, No. 363, K. of P., last Thursday evening.

—T. A. Miller has the contract to build the addition on M. Murphy's house at Greycourt.

—Chester Lodge, No. 363, K. of P.'s gave a reception last Friday evening. About 75 were present.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Dunning spent a few days at Mrs. Dunning's parents, at Staten Island.

—The Misses Foster are having their house painted.

—T. A. Miller has the contract for plumbing G. W. Balls house on Hambletonian avenue.

An Antemortem Tomb.

At Ludlow, Vt., there is a curious looking tomb which has been erected by a well known miller of that place. It is in the exact shape of a millstone and stands on four granite supports designed especially for that purpose. The owner, who expects to be buried in it sooner or later, is so proud of his monument that he exhibits an exact model of it every year at the county fair.—St. Louis Republic.

"Go, Forget Me," was by Rev. Charles Wolfe, a poet who in his time was highly esteemed, but is now remembered only by this and one other song. The music is an adaptation of a melody taken from one of Mozart's operas.

Alexander the Great knew Homer by heart and could repeat both the "Iliad" and the "Odyssey" from memory.

Norfolk county in England gave a name to the Virginia town.

Whipping Posts and Chains.

The legislature of New York refuses to reinstitute the whipping post, even for wife beaters. It may be necessary for the legislature of Illinois to forbid the use of chains and whipping in charitable institutions for children.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Horses at a Discount.

If Richard were living now, his offer of a kingdom for a horse would be absurd when he could get one at the trolley car stables for $3.47.—New York Recorder.

The Old Love the Best.

The new woman may be a honey, but she'll never beat the old woman a little bit.—Galveston News.

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The Modern Treatment Consists in Removing the Cause.

From the Republican, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Mrs. V. Curley who has resided in Clarence, Iowa, for the past twenty-two years, tells an interesting story of what she considers rescue from premature death, at all events, relief from a life of great suffering, which made death seem a happy means of escape from torture. Her narrative is as follows:

"For ten years prior to 1894, I was a constant sufferer from acute stomach trouble. I had all the manifold symptoms of acute dyspepsia, and at times other troubles were present in complication, I did not know what it was to enjoy a meal. No matter how careful I might be as to the quality, quantity and preparation of my food, distress always followed eating. I was despondent and blue, almost to the point of insanity at times, and would have been glad to die. Often and often I could not sleep. Sympathetic heart trouble set in and time and again I was obliged to call a doctor in the night to relive sudden attacks of suffocation which would come on without a moment's warning.

My troubles increased as time wore on and I spent large sums in doctor bills, being compelled to have medical attendants almost constantly. During 1892 and 1893, it was impossible for me to retain food, and water brashes plagued me. I was reduced to a skeleton. A consultation of physicians was unable to determine just what did ail me. The doctors gave us as their opinion that the probable trouble was ulceration of the coats of the stomach and held out no hope of recovery. One doctor said, "All I can do to relieve your suffering is by the use of opium."

About this time a friend of mine, Mrs. Symantha Smith, of Glidden, Iowa, told me about the case of Mrs. Thurston, of Oxford Junction, Iowa. This lady said she had been afflicted much the same as I had. She had consulted local physicians without relief, and had gone to Davenport for treatment without receiving any benefit therefrom. Giving up all hope of recovery, she was ready for any suggestion and was persuaded by a friend to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The result was almost magical.

In despair I bought a box of the pills from our druggist, Mr. George Smith. By the time the first box was finished I was able to eat with less distress but was in no mood to go on with the treatment. I presume I expected too much, but my husband thought I was better and insisted upon my trying at least one more box. It was fortunate for me that they did not let me give up. I kept on with the pills and before many months I felt better than I had for a dozen years. I am now almost free from trouble, and if through some error of diet I feel badly, this splendid remedy sets me right again. I have regained my strength and am once more in my usual flesh. I sleep well and can eat without distress. I have no doubt that I owe my recovery to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I only wish that I had heard of them years ago thereby saving myself ten years of suffering and money.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are not a patent medicine in the sense in which that term is usually understood, but are a scientific preparation successfully used in general practice for many years before being offered to the public generally. They contain in a condensed form all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood, and restore shattered nerves. They are an unfailing specific for such diseases as locomotor ataxia, partial paralysis, St. Vitus' dance, sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism, nervous headache, the after effects of the grippe, palpitation of the heart, pale and sallow complexions, that tired feeling resulting from nervous prostration; all diseases resulting from vitiated humors in the blood, such as scrofula, chronic erysipelas, etc. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregularities, and all forms of weakness. They build up the blood and restore the glow of health to pale or sallow checks. In men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork, or excesses of whatever nature.

These pills are manufactured by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y., and are sold only in boxes bearing the firm's trade mark and wrapper, at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50, and are never sold in bulk. They may be had of all druggists or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company.

Something From a Gloversville Mother.

"I have a baby eighteen months old and I write to say I have used Dr. Hand's Colic Cure and also Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion and am glad to let others know that I think them splendid Children's Remedies.—Mrs. Jeremiah J. Ellegate, 18 Smith avenue, Gloversville, N. Y." Dr. Hand's Colic Cure and Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion are sold by all druggists for 25c

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Rebecca Wilkinson, of Brownsvalley, Ind., says: "I have been in a distressed condition for three years from nervousness, weakness of the stomach, dyspepsia and indigestion until my health was gone. I had been doctoring constantly with no relief. I bought one bottle of South American Nervine, which did me more good than any $50 worth of doctoring I ever did in my life. I would advise every weakly person to use this valuable and lovely medicine; a few bottles of it have cured me completely. I consider it the grandest medicine in the world." Warranted the most wonderful stomach and nerve cure ever known. Sold by J. E. Mills, Middletown, N. Y.

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MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething. If disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of Cutting Teeth send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures Diarrhœa, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the gums and reduces Inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Price twenty five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world Be sure and ask for "Mrs Winslow's Soothing Syrup"

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To waste money on vile, dirty, water mixtures, compounded by inexperienced persons, when you have the opportunity of testing Otto's Cure free of charge. Why will you continue to irritate your throat and lungs with that terrible hacking cough when J. J. Chambers, of 21 West Main street, will furnish you a free sample bottle of this great guaranteed remedy? Hold a bottle of Otto's Cure to the light and observe its beautiful golden color and thick heavy syrup. Largest packages and purest goods. Large bottles 50c. and $1.00.

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The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands' chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents a box. For sale by McMonagle & Rogers.

"Half a span of angry steel" will produce no more fatal results than a neglected cold or cough. For all throat and lung diseases, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is the best remedy. It is invaluable in cases of croup, whooping cough, bronchitis and la-grippe.

Use Dr. Miles' NERVE PLASTERS for SPINAL WEAKNESS. All druggists sell 'em for 25c.

Watches as War Medals.

Swiss firms have entered into a contract with the Japanese war office to supply a sufficient number of watches for one to be given to every soldier who has served in the campaign when the mikado reviews his victorious troops at the close of the war. The watches, which will take the place of war medals, are to cost $1.50 apiece.

The Wrong Man.

A young lady organist in a church was captivated with the young pastor of a church in the next street and was delighted to hear one week that by exchange he was to preach the next Sunday in her own church. The organ was pumped by an obstreperous old sexton, who would often stop when he thought the organ voluntary had lasted long enough. This day the organist was anxious that all should go well, and as the service was about to begin she wrote a note intended solely for the sexton's eye. He took it, and in spite of her agonized beckonings carried it straight to the preacher. What was that gentleman's astonishment when he read, "Oblige me this morning by blowing away till I give you a signal to stop, Miss Allen."—Montreal Star.

Supplying a Deficiency.

Hazel—Gilson has taken such an interest in his typewriter he is educating her.

Nutte—What is she taking?

Hazel—A course in spelling.—Brooklyn Life.

Not Popular.

Mrs. Caller—Consistency is a jewel.

Mrs. Placid—It doesn't seem to be worn much, however.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

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Weakness, Nervousness, Debility, and all the train of evils from early errors or later excesses, the results of overwork, sickness, worry, etc. Full strength, development and tone given to every organ and portion of the body. Simple, natural methods. Immediate improvement seen. Failure impossible. 2,000 references. Book, explanation and proofs mailed (sealed) free.

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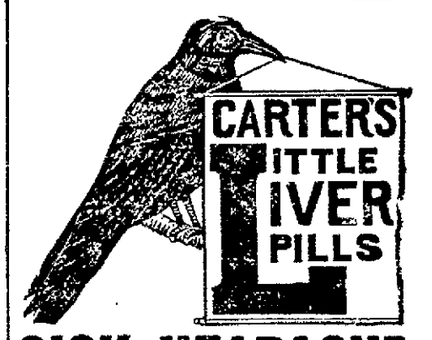

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Walking along the street with a preoccupied air, looking intently downward, he is admiring his new Russia Calf Shoes he bought at Hanford's for $3.00. Perhaps you would like them for $2 or $2 50 better. If so, follow the footprints

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Owner of one of the very best, most popular, oldest established, successful, all-year country hotels in this section of the State, desiring to retire, instructs me to offer same for sale for a short time, at right figure and on easy terms. This popular hotel is located within an hour's ride of this city, in an important town, and upon very popular drive, is about 90x40, 3 stories, with large sheds, barns, carriage houses, etc.; all buildings in first-class order and condition. Hotel has large, steady, all year business, and in summer is crowded to its utmost capacity with city boarders. For further particulars apply to

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MR. EDITOR:—I stained a blue silk dress with lemon juice; what will restore the color? I am making lots of money selling the Climax Dish Washer. Have not made less than $10 any day I worked. Every family wants a Dish Washer, and pay $5 quickly when they see the dishes washed and dried perfectly in one minute. I sell as many washers as my brother, and he is an old salesman. I will clear $3,000 this year. Address the Climax Mfg. Co., Columbus, Ohio. Anyone can do as well as I am doing. MAGGIE R.

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Grows on a sheep's back, not on a cotton plant.

Look at our Suits, try a Coat on, you will see at once they are well made, by experienced tailors, not like clothing that comes from an overall factory.

Enough said is well said. Just run in and look at our line of new, nobby and up-to-date Suits. They are like this— 4.50, $5, $6, $7.50, $8, $9, $10 and upwards. Perfect fit guaranteed. Money back if you want it.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24 1895.

The bill for the transfer of the New York city insane to State care, and naming the city asylum the Manhattan State Hospital, passed the Assembly, yesterday.

The Albany *Argus* advises a correspondent, who wants to know how to get Buffalo moths out of a carpet, to get down on hands and knees, put his head close to the carpet and shout "Platt" in the moths' ears The mention of that hated name will usually make anything from Buffalo scamper.

The slow progress that is being made in securing jurors for the trial of Inspector McLaughlin is sharply directing public attention to the defects in our jury system. Every man of intelligence and information in regard to current events is excluded from the jury box, and every effort of the defense seems to be directed toward securing a jury of know-nothings. It is not so much Inspector McLaughlin as the jury system that is now on trial.

A well informed steamship agent estimates that not less than 500,000 immigrants will be landed in this country before September. Such an addition to our population will be anything but desirable, for we have already workers sufficient for all the work we have to do. The increase in immigration expected this season is the result of persistent effort by the agents of the steamship companies who have thoroughly canvassed Europe and proclaimed in every community that the United States have entirely recovered from last year's business depression and are again a land flowing with milk and honey, where money is so abundant that it can almost be picked up in the streets.

MADE KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.

The Commandery Degree Conferred on Several Middletowners by Delaware Commandery.

Delaware Commandery, No. 44, Knights Templar, of Port Jervis, conferred the Commandery degrees on ten candidates, yesterday afternoon and evening. Among the prominent Knights present who assisted in the work were Hon. L. E. Carr, Past Eminent Commander of Delaware Commandery; Grand Prelate Rev. C. L Twing, of the Grand Commandery of the State of New York, and Past Grand Prelate Rev. S. Fisher, of the State of Vermont; G. D. Short, Eminent Commander of DeWitt Clinton Cammandery, of Brooklyn.

The candidates initiated were Messrs. H. C. Benson, T. A. Weller, A. C. Reynolds, Dr. D. H. Sprague and August Pfaff, of this city, and Messrs. W. A Parshall, W. H. DeWitt, H. B. Terwilliger, H. C. Kirchner and W. E. Folger, of Port Jervis.

The Middletown delegation was accompanied by the following gentlemen, who are members of Delaware Commandery: L D. Foquet, I. B. A. Taylor, B. F. Gordon, W. M. Combs, Dr. J. B. Hulett, W. E. Robertson, S. A. Sease, L. Landphier, A. Taylor, and H. White, of Troy Commandery.

A banquet followed the initiation. The party returned on the Wells-Fargo Express.

A HOT SUMMER PREDICTED.

To Make the Weather Average Right the Summer Must Be Hot

Weather Observer Dunn figures it out that the temperature since Jan. 1st has been 541 degrees colder than it was last year during the same period. The month of March was 251 degrees colder than the average, and April has also been much colder than the average of the Aprils of recent years. Mr. Dunn firmly believes that the weather, taking the year as a whole, will even itself up, and he confidently predicts a very hot summer.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS P TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 19 North street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

NEW YORK, April 24, '95

	Yesterday Closed	To-day Closed
Sugar	—	106⅝ 106¾
A. T. & S. F.	—	6¼ 6¾
C. B. & Q.	—	71¾ 71¾
Chicago Gas	—	75⅝ 75⅝
D. L. & W.	—	162 170
Dis. & Cat. F.	—	16⅞ 16
Erie	—	12 12¼
General Electric	—	33¾ 33¾
L. & N.	—	54¾ 55⅛
L. S.	—	141⅛ 141⅝
M. P.	—	26¾ 26¾
N. Y. & N. E.	—	39⅞ 39¾
N. Y. C.	—	99⅛ 99
N. W.	—	98¾ 98
Susquehanna & Western	—	13⅜ 13⅜
O. & W.	—	17¼ 17⅜
Manhattan	—	119 118
Southern Ry.	—	12¾ 13¾
P. & R.	—	15⅝ 15⅝
R. I.	—	67 67
C. M. & St. P.	—	62 61¾
W. Union	—	13 13¾
U. S. Cordage	—	89¼ 89¾
Nat. Lead	—	6¾ 6¾
May Wheat	—	64 63¾
May Corn	—	50¾ 50¾
May Oats	—	47⅝ 47⅝
May Pork	—	28¾ 28¾
May Lard	—	$12 75 $12 22
	—	6 92 6 97

Pure Blood

Is absolutely necessary in order to have good health. The greatest affliction of the human race is impure blood.

There are about 2400 disorders incident to the human frame, the large majority arising from the impure or poisonous condition of the blood.

The best remedy for all blood diseases is found in Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Its remarkable cures are its loudest praise. It is not what we say but what Hood's Sarsaparilla does that tells the story.

No remedy has ever had so marked success, or won such enormous sales.

Scrofula in its severest forms yields to its potent powers, blood poisoning and salt rheum and many other diseases are permanently cured by it. For a general Spring Medicine to remove those impurities which have accumulated during the winter, or to overcome That Tired Feeling, nothing equals

"I wish to say that 3 years ago we had a beautiful boy born to us. At the age of 11 months he breathed his last, a victim to impure blood. On Aug. 4, 1891, another boy was born, who at the age of two months became afflicted with the same disease. We believed the trouble was constitutional, and not common sore mouth. I procured a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla and commenced to give it regularly to both mother and baby. Improvement began at once. We have succeed in eradicating the scrofulous blood from the system and today we are blessed with a nice, fat baby boy, 18 months old—the very

Picture of Health,

all life and full of mischief—thanks to Hood's Sarsaparilla. I am a minister in the Methodist Protestant church, and it affords me much pleasure to recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla to all as a safe, sure remedy. Even my wife, after taking Hood's, became healthy and fleshy and has the bloom of girlhood again." REV. J. M. PATE, Brookline Station, Missouri.

HOOD'S Sarsaparilla

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

PERRY'S CASE TO BE TRIED SATURDAY.

BY UNITED PRESS.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., March 24.—Judge Lippincott, to-day, announced that he would decide train robber Perry's habeas corpus proceedings, Saturday.

POLICE REORGANIZATION BILL LOST.

BY UNITED PRESS.

ALBANY, April 24 —In the Senate, to-day, the New York city police reorganization bill was lost on a tie vote.

CANADA INVITED TO JOIN THE UNION.

BY UNITED PRESS.

ALBANY, April 24.—The Assembly, to-day, adopted a resolution inviting Canada to join the Union.

NOMINATED FOR STATE HISTORIAN.

BY UNITED PRESS.

ALBANY, April 24.—Hugh Hastings of New York city has been nominated by the Governor to be State Historian.

A CHILDREN'S HOME BURNED.

BY UNITED PRESS.

POUGHKEEPSIE, March 24.— The Brothers of Nasareth Home for Children was burned this morning. All the children got out safely. Loss $30,000.

DOCTORED BY A CLAIRVOYANT.

The Child Died and the Coroner Had to Grant a Burial Permit.

Coroner Decker was summoned, last evening, to grant a certificate of death in the case of six-year old Alton Miller, son of Mrs. Barnhart, a tenant in the Kirchbaum building on North street. The lad had been sick with diphtheria and had been attended by Mrs. Alice I. Krom, of No. 108 North street, who, of course, could not grant a certificate. A post mortem examination showed the child to have died from nephritis. No inquest was held.

It is said the Board of Health proposes to take steps to prevent any more doctoring by clairvoyants.

Improving the City's Parks,

Workmen are actively engaged in improving Thrall Park and getting it into condition for the coming summer. A number of additional trees are being set out and Middletown's largest breathing spot promises to become a most attractive place. Much work has also been done on the Academy Avenue Park.

Sued for Revealing Professional Secrets

A suit involving an intricate question of professional honor and duty will be called in the Supreme Court, at Binghamton, next week. The plaintiff, E. H. Stallman, sues Dr. C. W. McCall for $10,000 damages for revealing to the family of a young woman, whom he hoped to marry, certain facts which came into his possession as a medical adviser.

Old Employes Must Go.

Conductor Eli McMillen and crew, of the Summitville train on the P. J., M. & N Y. road, have received notice that their services will be no longer needed after May 1st. This is the beginning of the removal of all old employes and the filling of their places by the new management of the road.

The Evolution.

Of medicinal agents is gradually relegating the old-time herbs, pills, draughts and vegetable extracts to the rear and bringing into general use the pleasant and effective liquid laxative, Syrup of Figs. To get the true remedy see that it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only. For sale by all leading druggists.

Port Jervis' Fire Bug Takes a Night Off.

It was reported in this city, today, that an attempt was made to burn another fire house in Port Jervis, last night. A telephone message from the *Gazette* says there is no truth in the rumor and that the night passed without any attempts at incendiarism.

Advertised Letter List.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the Middletown post office for the week ending April 22d:

LADIES.

Dill, Miss Amelia	Regan, Mrs. Catherine
Higgins, Mrs. C. F.	Hutchson, Miss Sarah
Iserman, Mary A	Smith, Mrs. A. O.
Jensen, Maymie	Stanton, Mrs. W. C
Ketchum, Mrs. A.	Sweat, Miss
Morgan, Mrs. Josie	Smith, Miss F.
McCormack, Mrs. Katie	Waring, Miss Ethel
McGuire, Miss Lizzie	Weddle, Miss Allie
McDermott, Miss Anna	

GENTLEMEN.

Halsted, Elliott	Peet, J.
Hotah, John L.	Rogers, Charles
Higgins, Senator	Simmons, Theodore
Jones, Richard D	Williams, E.
Morgan, J Pierpont	Wickham, Reaves
Outwater, Frank	Wakeman, Geo. L

C. L. ELWOOD, Postmaster.

Best for Constipation.

"The Paper Dolls which a given for one trade-mark from H 's Pills and ten cents in stamps have been received, and they are really a work of art. I have found that Hood's Pills act promptly and give no pain. I have found them better for constipation than anything else that I have ever taken." Amanda Irmscher, 24 Pilling St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills. 24

DIED.

BARNHART—In this city, April 23d, '95, Alton A. Barnhart, aged six years, ten months. Funeral services Thursday morning at ten thirty o'clock, at the North Street Congregational Church. Interment in Hillside Cemetery.

GILLESPIE—At Phillipsport, April 22d, '95, of strangulation, Thomas J. Gillespie, aged twenty-four years, five months, nine days. Funeral Thursday, from late residence, No. 84 East Main street, at nine-thirty a. m.; with requiem high mass, at St. Joseph's Church, at ten a. m. Interment St. Joseph's Cemetery.

F. O ROCKAFELLOW & BRO., Undertakers and Embalmers, 99 North street. Lady assistant. Telephone No. 3. dlyMch15

KNAPP & MERRITT, Undertakers and Embalmers, corner West Main and James Sts. Lady assistant. Telephone Nos. 10 and 22.

DOUGHERTY & RILLY, Undertakers and Embalmers, 50 Cottage street, Middletown Telephone 42—night and day.

The Grip,

An experience with this disease during all its past epidemics, warrants the bold claim that *Dr. King's New Discovery* will positively cure each and every case if taken in time, and patient takes the ordinary care to avoid exposure. Another thing has been proven, that those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery, escape the many troublesome after results of this disease. By all means get a bottle and try it. It is guaranteed, and money will be returned if no good results follow its use. Sold by McMonagle & Rogers.

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HOUSE FURNISHINGS!
SUCH AS
Table Linens, Towels, Napkins, Ready Made Sheets, Quilts,

and all widths in Bleached or Brown Muslins. We can make your money go farther than ever before. If you need any, come and try us. Bleached Damask 50c and up. Sheets at 49 cts. Less than the muslin cost.

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No. 11 WEST MAIN STREET, MIDDLETOWN

EASTER

Neckwear, Gloves, Collars, Canes, Overcoats, Suits, Extra Pantaloons, Silk Hats, all the latest in Derbies and Soft Hats

Merchant Tailoring Department

Is rushing with orders. We had to put on two extra men this week. People say we have the finest and best line of foreign and domestic goods in the city for suits, overcoats and extra trouserings The style, cut, trimmings and workmanship tell the story. P. S.—Boys, remember, we have more of those bats and balls to go with your suits, and the place is at

JOHN E. ADAMS',
Leading Hatter, Clothier, Merchant Tailor and Gents' Furnisher
No. 41 North Street. Middletown.

WE ARE SHOWING A VERY ATTRACTIVE LINE OF

Dress Goods This Week.

A line of novelties at $1 69, $1.85 and $2 69 sell rapidly. We show over 50 styles at these prices.

Linings, Silks, Gimps, Laces, etc., to match.

Our stock of Ladies' Waists are sellers. They possess the merits of style, quality and low prices We show 50 styles from 25c to $1.50 each.

Are you looking for Corsets or Waists? We are showing the greatest stock ever shown in town.

See our Summer Corsets at 39c and 50c.

See our line of Children's Waists at 10, 25 and 29c.

H. E. Churchill & Co.,
39 NORTH ST.

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In making your selection, get something sensible and useful, and JACOB GROH, East Main street, next to the Congregational Church, has just exactly what you want. Patent rockers, handsome rockers, beautiful camp chairs, comfortable upholstered chairs, and all the useful and beautiful articles that go to make up the stock of a first-class furniture store. All very cheap, as my expenses are but a fraction of North street dealers, and I give my customers the benefit. Remember the place.

JACOB GROH,
Next to Congregational Church, East Main St

Samuel Lipfeld,
25 NORTH ST.

A NEW PAIR OF TRUSERS

Just the thing you need to brighten up your cutaway coat. Have not you noticed how many men have thus tided themselves over the seeming necessity of buying a new suit just now, by adding a pair of our custom made trousers to their wardrobe? There is nothing in the city a more honest bargain than a pair of our trousers at three, four, five or six dollars per pair. They are made after your own ideas if you wish, just as you want them, as to every detail, and a perfect fit, costing no more than the ready made ones. We have a full assortment of all the spring styles that ought to bring more than we charge, but we are determined to acquaint you with their merits. You do yourself an injustice if you don't examine the goods.

SAMUEL LIPFELD,
25 North Street.

THE HUB
Boot and Shoe Store,
13 West Main Street.

Men's Russet Shoes $1 50.
Men's Russet Shoes $2 00.
Men's Russia Calf Shoes $3.
Men's Patent Leather Shoes, welted, at $3. None easier at any price.

"Ladies' Ease and Comfort Shoes."

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For Plastering Walls and Ceilings,
FOR SALE BY
CRANE & SWAYZE.

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AS WE WERE SAYING:

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Our 'Damascene Linen," 120 sheets and envelopes for 98c., and our "Irish Linen Paper," by the pound, are just as popular as ever.

Hanford & Horton,
6 North Street.

PERSONAL.

If young lady who admired gentleman's feet, on Midway Park car, has a brother, tell him the shoes were

Bradley's
$2.50 Russet.
JOHN BRADLEY,
57 North St.

DRY CLOTHING FOR WET WEATHER.

Mackintoshes are very essential in spring for cool rainy days. In changing the weight of your clothing, they will prevent sickness. Anybody can buy one at our prices. Special sale. Mackintoshes, with capes only $2 50, formerly $5

Morris B. Wolf,
Clothing, Hats, and Furnishings,
10 North Street.

SPECIAL SALE
OF
Boys' and Children's Suits!

For the next ten days we will give a discount of ten per cent. on all Boys' and Children's Suits, including our new Spring Goods.

All goods marked in plain figures.

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Co-Operative Building Bank.
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The above bank also has local branches established in Bloomingburgh, Warwick, Florida, Unionville, Westtown, Johnson, Slate Hill, Otisville, Port Jervis, Maybrook and Campbell Hall.

For circulars and full information apply or write to L. P. KNICKERBOCKER, Dist. Supt., Central Building, Middletown, N. Y. d&sw

WALL PAPER!

We have just received another invoice of Wall Paper. The people of Middletown appreciate quality, and know where to find the finest colorings and largest assortment, and at prices that are rock bottom. That's what talks. Our April business so far is 50 per cent. larger than last year. We are pleased to note this, and are satisfied that our efforts to get the best goods at the lowest possible prices, is what talks. Our Carpet Department is simply booming, and we are not surprised, as our assortment of floor coverings is simply immense. Axministers, Body Brussels, etc, at prices never before heard of. If there is any advantage in buying in large quantities, we are in shape to do it, as our buyer, Mr. C. E. Crawford is in New York every week. We are "up to date" in every line we carry We are headquarters in this part of the State for anything in furniture, carpets, crockery, wall paper, etc.

C. E. Crawford Furniture Co.

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BEWARE THE MOTH!

Your winter flannels—your overcoat—your blankets—your furs—will you ever need them again?

If so, beware the moth with his fine embroidery.

Our Tar Camphor prevents moth, is safe, sure and cheap.

McMonagle & Rogers, Druggists

Ask for Cash Checks.

HOUSE CLEANING?

Well, maybe you'll want some of our Pure Insect Powder. It's the true Dalmation — usually called "Persian," freshly ground from unopened flowers. (Better make a note of that for most insect powder is inferior and adulterated)

McMonagle & Rogers, Druggists,

Ask for Cash Checks—save you 5 per cent. on all purchases.

Chamois Skins—handy at house cleaning time. A size containing about 140 square inches 12c each.

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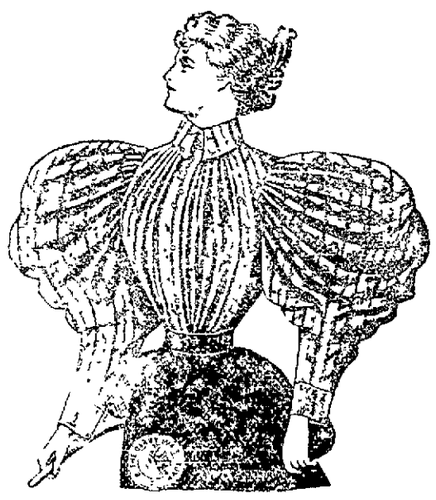

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DAILY ARGUS.

OPEN EVENINGS.

THE BUSINESS OFFICE OF THE "ARGUS" IS OPEN EVENINGS FROM SEVEN UNTIL EIGHT O'CLOCK.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY UNITED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 22.—Fair, warmer, to-night, slightly cooler, Thursday evening; fresh southwesterly winds.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day: 7 a. m., 45°; 12 m., 65°; 3 p. m., 67°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

—April 24—Festival and dance of St. Elizabeth's society, at Assembly Rooms.

—April 24, 25—"Caprice," in aid of Thrall Hospital.

—April 25—Ball of Friendship Social Club, at Assembly Rooms.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Fresh vegetables received daily at C. E. Velie's.

—Woman wanted to do general housework.

—Dress goods patterns from $1 69 up at H. F. Churchill & Co.'s

—Cretonne head rests 9c., Saturday, at Geo. B Adams & Co.'s.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—"Caprice" to-night.

—Festival and dance at the Assembly Rooms, to-night.

—Newburgh's 10th Seperate company expelled five members Monday night and mustered in seven recruits.

—Although large catches of shad are being made in the Hudson, the demand is so large that prices continue high.

—If you want to spend a pleasant evening go to the Assembly Rooms, to-night, to the festival and dance of the St. Elizabeth Society.

—The favored few who were admitted to the Casino, last evening, were greatly pleased with the rehearsal of "Caprice."

—Painters and paper hangers are very busy, these days. A great many houses in different parts of town are being put in order, outside and inside.

—Trailing arbutus parties are popular with the young people of this city. Those who go to Otisville or on the mountain above New Vernon return with large quantities of the fragrant blossoms.

—A fair and military festival is to be held in Paterson's new armory during the week beginning May 6th, in order to raise funds for furnishing the building.

—The committee in charge of the festival and dance of the Society of St. Elizabeth, at the Assembly Rooms, to-night, has spared no pains to make this dance a grand affair to all who attend.

—One of the best amateur productions ever given in this city will be "Caprice." preeented at the Casino, to-night and to-morrow night. Usual prices of admission. Proceeds for the benefit of Thrall Hospital.

—The Elmira *Gazette* suggeets that if the woman's edition craze continues and the fair sex continue to multiply indefinitely the number of pages in the papers entrusted temporarily to their editorial management, they will cause such a boom in the wood pulp and paper trade as will make paper making the most prosperous business in the country.

PERSONAL.

—Mr. Freeland Blakeney, a student at Alleghany College, at Meadville, Pa., is in town to visit relatives and friends.

—Mr. Oliver Green, a well known farmer of Mount Hope, was in town, to-day, on business and calling on friends. This is his first visit here in a year.

—Mrs. G. H. Miller, of Fremont, Sullivan county, who for the past three months has been visiting her brother, Mr. James G. Harding and other relatives in this locality, returned home, to-day.

—Mr. John A. Staats, formerly with George B. Adams and now a traveling salesman for Burton, Price & Co., of New York, is home from a three months' trip, and will spend a week or so with his parents at their home near this city.

—United States Gauger John E. Herbert and Miss Mary Emma O'Neill were married in St. Patrick's Church, Newburgh, yesterday. A reception followed at the home of the bride. Among the wedding gifts was a check for $500.

—Miss Iva Lowther, niece of the Rev. Sylvester Lowther, pastor of St. John's M. E. Church, is visiting at the home of Under Sheriff Henry M. Howell, Miss Lowther is the daughter of the Rev. R. A. Lowther, pastor of the M. E. Church in Fishkill village, and is a recent resident of Bloomingburgh, Sullivan county. She was formerly a schoolmate of Miss Howell at the Academy in Middletown.—*Newburgh News.*

Annual Meeting of the Old Ladies, Home Society.

The annual meeting of the Old Ladies' Home Society of Orange County will be held at the Home on South street, this city, on Wednesday, May 1st, at 2 p. m.

Managers for the ensuing year will be elected. All members of the society are requested to be present.

MRS. S. R. MORGAN, Secy.

That tired feeling, loss of appetite and nervous prostration are driven away by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which makes pure blood.

CHOKED TO DEATH ON A POTATO.

Strange Death of Thomas Gillespie at Philipsport.

The following additional particulars of the death of Thomas Gillespie have been obtained:

Monday evening the watchman on the canal, at Pailipsport, heard some one vomiting near the roadway and on investigation found it to be Mr. Gillespie. He was weak, and the watchman assisted him to the hotel, where it was discovered that he was strangling, and a messenger was sent to Wurtsboro for a physician but when he arrived Mr. Gillespie was dead.

Coroner Roesch was notified and directed Dr. Piper to make an autopsy. The body was found in a healthy condition, and the cause of death was found in the wind pipe,—a piece of potato about the size of an oyster cracker, which had produced strangulation.

Undertaker Donovan, of this city, was summoned, yesterday, and brought the body here.

The deceased was well liked by all who knew him. He was a moulder by trade and worked in the Orange County Furnace until it closed and then worked for J. G. Martin. For the past two years he has been foreman of Donovan's livery stable. He went to Phillipsport a month ago.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Gillespie, of this city, and three sisters—Mrs. Mary Fitzgerald, of Binghamton, and Bridget and Maggie at home.

SALE OF HOLLYROOD.

Bought by its Former Owner, Mr. Wallick, and Again Sold to a New Yorker.

Hollyrood farm, in the town of Wallkill, was sold at 2 p. m., to day, at the Russell House, under foreclosure of a first mortgage, held by the Middletown Savings Bank.

The amount of the mortgage, interest and expenses was $17 608 32 There was but one bid, that of J. H. Wallick, the former owner of Hollyrood, who offered the amount of the bank's claim.

Immediately afterward Mr. Wallick sold the property to Mr. W. Robinson, of New York.

R. M. Cox was the referee and Vanamee, Watts & Vail the plaintiff's attorneys.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Proceedings of an Adjourned Meeting—Application for a Teachers' Position—A Committee on a New School House—Bills Audited.

An adjourned meeting of the Board of Education was held, last evening. Present, President Wiggins, and Messrs. Dayton, Galloway, Swalm, Harding, Hanford, Howell, Powelson, and Corwin.

The President announced the standing committees, which have already been published.

The action of the President in refusing to permit photographs of teachers and pupils to be taken during school hours, was approved.

An application of Anna Louise Hartwell, for a teachers' position, was placed on file.

The Academy Committee was directed to proceed forthwith to erect fire escapes on the Academy building.

A communication from W. W. Taylor, giving prices for coal, was ordered on file.

On motion it was ordered that a committee consisting of the President and two members be appointed to consult with a competent architect in regard to a proposed new school building. Messrs. Harding and Hanford were appointed to act with the President.

The following bills were audited:

A. E. McIntyre, binding books	$ 34 00
Wilson & Wood, coal	5 20
Slauson & Boyd, printing	26 75
George W. Brink, carpenter	4 65
Total	$70 60

OBITUARY.

Alton A. Barnhart.

Alton A, the six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Barnhart, died last night after an illness of eight months from a complication of diseases. He was a very bright boy. He was a member of the Christian Endeavor Society of the North Street Congregational Church and a Captain in the Loyal Temperance Legion. The funeral notice appears elsewhere.

Mayor Stansbury's Condition

Mayor Stansbury had some bad symptoms for a time last night, and for several hours his physicians and friends were much alarmed concerning him. Before morning there was, however, an improvement in his condition and, today, he has been resting comfortably. Unless peritonitis should develop, there is every reason to expect his early and complete recovery.

Real Estate Sales.

—Mr. Freeman B. Wheeler has sold to Mr. C. Smith from the section of Richmond Hill a vacant lot fronting on Wawa-canal-street-yanda avenue.

—Gardner & McWilliams, real estate and insurance agents, have sold for Mr. A. J. Bell his house and lot, No. 229 Cottage street, to Samuel D. Tuthill.

Monthly Pains cured by Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

EXTRA PAY FOR MAKING MAPS.

An Impudent Scheme for Increasing the Salary of the City Engineer.

The proposition of certain members of the Common Council to allow the City Engineer extra compensation for making maps has aroused so much adverse comment that, if the Aldermen have any regard for public opinion, this impudent attempt to indirectly increase a salary, already large enough, will be quickly abandoned.

To all except a few members of the Council, it would appear to be as much the duty of the City Engineer to make such maps as the city may need as it is to make the surveys that the Council orders. The proposition to pay the engineer extra for making maps is about as reasonable as it would be to vote the City Clerk a gratuity for transcribing in the record book the minutes of the proceedings of the Council, taken while the sessions are in progress.

Alderman Reed, who proposed and championed the extra compensation scheme, made the point that it was no part of the engineer's duties to make maps of streets not accepted. A diligent study of the charter fails to disclose any section, paragraph or line which makes any distinction in the engineer's duties as between accepted and unaccepted streets. The engineer is a public official, under the immediate direction of the Council, and his duty is to perform such work as the Council may direct, no matter in what part of the city.

Not the least interesting part of the discussion of this matter in the Council was the breezy views Alderman Reed expressed in regard to expending the people's money. In answer to Mr. Sinsabaugh's question how much Engineer Smith proposed to charge for making maps, Mr. Reed answered, "That makes no difference;" and when Mr. Hirst expressed a doubt as to the right of the Council to pay for making maps, Mr. Reed answered, "There is no doubt but we have the right if we want to." Nothing equal to this has been heard since Tim Campbell said, when told that one of his bills was unconstitutional, "What's a little thing like the constitution between friends?"

THE HUDSON RIVER STATE HOSPITAL

A Year's Showing—Interesting Data as to Patients, Wages, Etc.

The annual report of the Hudson River State Hospital, just issued, among other matters of interest, contains the following statistics:

The number of patients at one time in the year, 1894, reached 1,431; the lowest number was 1 048, a daily average of 1,354. During the year there were 1,034 admissions, and 653 discharges, making a net increase of 381 cases. The deaths were 203,—being about 14 per cent. of the average number resident.

The report recommends the managers to ask the Legislature for appropriations aggregating $139,650.00 for renewals, repairs, etc.

The maximum wages of male attendants are stated to be $28 per month, the minimum $18. while women receive from $14 to $20 per month During the year the hospital disbursed for wages $98.838 64. The officers' salaries amounted $16,795.70.

WANTS A DIVOREE.

The Wife of Dr. A. W. Carpenter Charges Him With Cruelty.

The wife of Dr. A. W Carpenter, of New York, has brought suit against him for limited divorce, alleging that he is a monster of cruelty and unreasonably jealous. She alleges that the doctor is rich and has an income of $600 a week.

The doctor denies his wife's accusation of cruelty, and says his income is only $200 a month.

Judge Gildersleeve granted Mrs. Carpenter $10 a week alimony and $250 counsel fees.

Dr. Carpenter is a native of Port Jervis, and a son of Mr. and Mrs. Orla G. Carpenter, of that village.

BEFORE THE RECORDER.

Settled Out of Court—Three Dollar Fine for Fast Driving.

—The trolley car 'scrap," of last Friday night, in which an angry wife slapped the face of a young woman, whom she found in her husband's company, and which was to have been aired in police court, this morning, proved a disappointment to a large crowd of spectators, which had gathered to hear the particulars. The angry wife has made her peace with the complainant, who withdrew the charge of assault upon the assurance of the wife of the motorman "that it was all a mistake."

—A young man was arrested by Officer Durham, last night, for fast and reckless riding of a "fiery, untamed mustang" on North street. A fine of three dollars was imposed.

—One drunk was discharged with a reprimand.

Low Rates of Fare to Pine Bush.

On account of the W. C. T. U. convention the Erie will sell excursion tickets to Pine Bush, April 24th and 25th, for fifty-five cents for round trip. Tickets good to return on or before April 26th.

Improvements in the South End.

Mr. Freeman B. Wheeler has a force of twenty men and several carts employed in grading his lots on—on—on—Wawa canal street-yanda avenue.

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INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

Middletowners at the Church Anniversary—Superintendent Monell in Town—Excursion Rates to Pine Bush—Chester People in Hard Luck.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

—After the church anniversary exercises, last night, four trolley cars were well filled with Middletown people who attended the services.

—Superintendent of the Poor, John P. Monell, was in Goshen, to-day, for the first time since last August. He is looking much better and is hopeful of a complete recovery from the disease from which he has suffered so long.

—During the continuance of the W. C. T. U., convention at Pine Bush to-day and to-morrow, excursion tickets may be purchased at the Erie station in this village for 30 cents.

—About twenty Chester people attended the church anniversary services, last night, intending to return on train 14, but as the train was three and one-half hours late, the greater portion of them were obliged to hire conveyances here to reach their homes. This is the first time in about three weeks that the train has been late.

COURT HOUSE REPAIRS COMPLETED

The Building Accepted by the Supervisors Building Committee.

From Our Goshen Correspondent

The repairs to the Court House are finished and, yesterday, a conference between three representatives of the American Fire Insurance Company, under whose supervision the work has been done, and the Building Committee of the Board of Supervisors, Messrs. Adams, Durland and Wilson, was held in this village. The result of the conference was that the building was accepted by the Building Committee, the Insurance Company agreeing to reimburse the committee and W. H. Hilton, who superintended the work for them, to the amount of $150 for traveling and other expenses to which they had been subjected during the continuance of the repairs.

EQUINE INTELLIGENCE.

A Horse That Took Its Mate to the Shop to be Shod.

The Montague correspondent of the Port Jervis *Gazette* sends that paper the following:

"I was told a story the other day by a lady which is too good to keep. Her father had a team he did not use during the winter so did not have them shod. After the snow went away he took one of the horses to the shop and had him shod. A day or two afterward he turned both horses loose near the barn. He did not miss them, neither did the family. The next day when cleaning the stable he found both horses had shoes on. On inquiry he was told by the blacksmith that the day before both horses came trotting down the hill, entered the shop and took their places. They were minus bridle or halter. The blacksmith knew the team, so he examined the one, found his shoes all right; the other he shod, after which both returned home, but left the bill for the owner to pay, which he cheerfully did."

LITIGATION IN PROSPECT.

Canal Street Property Owners Will Stand No Nonsense.

The scheme of the Council is to adopt a "Good Lord, good devil" policy in regard to the name of Canal street.—to retain the old name to Fulton street and change the name of the street south of Fulton to Wawayanda avenue.

We are informed that such a makeshift will not be satisfactory to the large property owners, who want the name of the street changed and that if anything of the kind is attempted they will mandamus the Council. They think it well to test the question whether under this city government the majority or one man rules.

Universalist Services.

Rev. M. Crosley, of Brooklyn, preaches, to-morrow night, in Nearing Hall; services to begin at 8 o'clock. The subject of discourse will be "The devil and his works; their final destruction."

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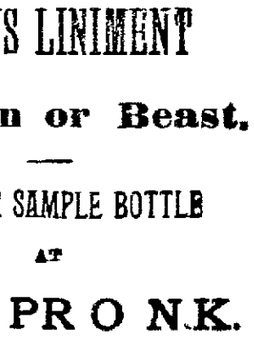

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You are hereby cited and required personally to be and appear before the Surrogate of the county of Orange at his office, in Goshen, in said county, on the 13th day of May, 1895, at 10 o'clock a. m., then and there to show cause, if any you have, why a decree should not be made directing the disposition of the surplus proceeds, or what may remain of and from the sale of real estate of said decedent, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the payment of the debts of said Seth Wright, deceased, and then and there to exhibit and prove such claims as you may severally have against the estate of said deceased.

In testimony whereof, we have caused the seal of the office of our said Surrogate's Court to be hereunto affixed. Witness Hon. Roswell C. Coleman, [L. S.] Surrogate of our said county of Orange at Goshen, in said county, on the 27th day of March, 1895.

R. C. COLEMAN, Surrogate.

O'NEILL & ROYCE, Attorneys for Petitioner. dWedStMy8

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Martha Wakefield, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, the executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, at their place of transacting business, at the law office of Henry W. Wiggins, "Everett Building," 29 to 33 North street in the city of Middletown, Orange county, New York, on or before the fourteenth day of August next.

Dated February 6, 1895.

JOHN W. WIGGINS, CHARLES HIGHAM, } Executors.

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PURSUANT to an order of Hon. Roswell C. Coleman, Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Johanna Tierney, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, the administrator of the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased, at his place of residence, in the city of Middletown, on or before the 20th day of January next, 1895.

PATRICK TIERNEY, administrator.

Dated May 13, 1894. dWedsmSep25

WILL HORSES GO UP?

SOME WHO OUGHT TO KNOW MAKE ANSWER IN THE AFFIRMATIVE.

The Decreased Demand Has Killed the Breeding Business, and as Trucks, Carriages, Etc., Can't Be Electrically Propelled the Supply Will Soon Be Too Small.

It is the judgment of a good many who have made a study of the matter that the man who has horses to sell at the beginning of the next century will be a very lucky fellow.

For, although it has been a ruinous thing to have much money invested in equine flesh of late, there is every reason, say the horse sharps, to believe that much higher prices are in sight. Already, said one of the most extensive dealers in the country in a recent conversation with the writer, an upward tendency has begun to manifest itself, and although prices are not yet at all good there has been an advance in the

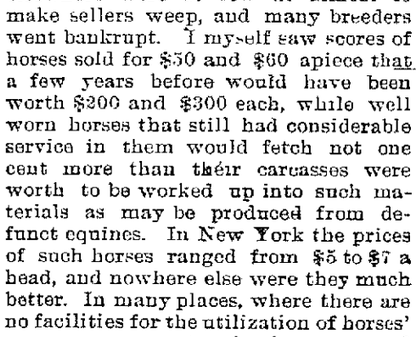
A $500 HORSE FOR $50.

big cities of 10 or 15 per cent over the figures that were realized a year ago. Probably this advance has not been felt as yet by many breeders of horses, and indeed there are few breeders left now, but those still in the business will begin to hear the good news pretty soon, and the increase of prices will be continuous for some years to come.

"When the trolleys and the cables took possession of the street railways," said this dealer, "almost all demand for horses of any but the fancy types disappeared. What little demand was left was fully supplied by the animals discarded by the railroads. If there had been no other source of supply, there would probably have been no more decline in prices than was inevitable because of the general depression, but the breeders had large numbers of horses on hand and were generally in such a financial condition as rendered it imperative that they should realize without delay. Consequently the inflow of horses at the big cities, where the chief markets are located, was in nowise diminished, and the result was a tremendous oversupply.

"In the early part of 1894 the ruling prices in New York, Boston, Chicago, Cincinnati, Baltimore, Philadelphia and elsewhere were so low as almost to make sellers weep, and many breeders went bankrupt. I myself saw scores of horses sold for $50 and $60 apiece that a few years before would have been worth $200 and $300 each, while well worn horses that still had considerable service in them would fetch not one cent more than their carcasses were worth to be worked up into such materials as may be produced from defunct equines. In New York the prices of such horses ranged from $5 to $7 a head, and nowhere else were they much better. In many places, where there are no facilities for the utilization of horses' carcasses, wornout animals were good for nothing but to consume provender, and consequently thousands upon thousands were killed simply to get rid of them.

"At the same time breeders all over the country decided to get out of the business, and in order to do this rushed their horses to the market with all possible speed, being fully prepared to dispose of the animals at whatever price they could get, no matter how great the sacrifice. This of course congested the market still further, and prices went down, down, down. At present it is safe to say that fully nine-tenths of those who bred horses five or six years ago have abandoned the business entirely. This may not be true with regard to the breeding of trotting stock, although a large number of these have also turned their attention to other lines, but it is more than true of the breeders of every other sort of horse. If such a general revolution in this industry had taken place a few years ago, the demand would have outrun the supply long before this, and prices would already have advanced to very high figures, but as railroad horses are still being supplanted by the wire in the air and the wire rope under ground the sale of the discarded animals and the remaining stock of the breeders have so far been sufficient to keep the market from running short.

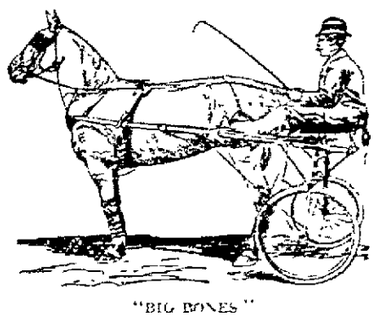


ON THE WAY TO THE BONE BOILERS.

"This will not continue always, however. The time will come, and that sooner than most people expect it, when the number of discarded and left over horses will not be equal to the demands of the express companies, the truckmen, the cab drivers, private individuals and general business men. There is as yet no reason to believe that the mysterious fluid which has been set to hauling the street cars of America can be utilized for the propulsion of ordinary vehicles over ordinary roads and pavements. All the businesses I have indicated will have to be continued, however, and horses must be had to carry them on. The demand will be less than it used to be, of course, but as the supply will be practically nonexistent it is perfectly clear to me that the latter will exceed the former, and that prices must go up. I think it is safe to assert that by 1900 horses will bring exceedingly high figures, for by that time the present working stock of the country will be practically worn out. In fact, I believe the United States will be utterly unable to furnish its own horses five years from now.

Since talking with this man I have heard the matter discussed by a number of others as conversant as he is with the situation, and the general sentiment seems to be that his view of the future of the horse business is quite correct. Down to the present, however, although there has been a slight advance of prices as to certain grades, mentioned at the beginning of this article, the business is still stagnant, and half worn horses are being killed for their hide, etc., in great numbers in all the large cities. It is a very common thing to see a little tug in the harbor of New York puffing its way toward the ocean towing a big garbage scow a large part of whose load consists of the carcasses of discarded horses which a few years ago would have sold readily at from $50 to $30 a head and would have been used for the hauling of peddlers' wagons, the delivery wagons of the smaller grocers, laundries, etc., instead of being sent to dreary Barren Island, there to be converted into grease, soap fat, fertilizing phosphate, plasterers' hair, pigments, raw material for buttons and other articles of bone. There have been stories from the west of surplus horses being shot down upon the prairies of extensive breeding ranches and left there to rot. From Indiana and other central western states it has been telegraphed that horseflesh has been used for food in quantities because of its exceeding cheapness. Whether these things are still going on is not known to the writer, but if the views that have here been quoted are correct the slaughter of horses still fit for light work, simply to get rid of them, will soon stop, and it will not be very long that any horse not wholly decrepit will be in danger of being turned over to the bone boilers.

Quite interesting, in view of the general situation, are the facts with regard to horses of trotting blood of the better grade and especially those which have



"BIG BONES."

made records upon the track. Prices for such animals, particularly the latter, have been and are very satisfactory. There are two causes for this, one being the apparent fact that the season of 1895 is to be a remarkably good one, so far as trotting contests go, and the other the fact that American gentlemen drivers and coaching men have tried the imported hackney horses and have found them wanting. It will not be very long before the place which it was believed had been won permanently by the British animal as the favorite carriage, coaching and road horse in the United States will again belong to the horse of American blood. Perhaps this statement should be qualified a little, because the most satisfactory road and carriage horse in many respects has been found to be one of about two-thirds trotting blood and one-third hackney.

It is stated that the adverse view of the British horse here indicated has been adopted even by most of the very rich men who have invested their dollars so freely in hackneys and the establishment of farms on which to breed them, and among the transactions in horses recorded so far this year have been many purchases of trotting horses for road and carriage purposes by such well known former devotees of the hackney as Dr. Seward Webb, W. K. Vanderbilt, George Gould, the Havemeyers, John Jacob Astor and others.

With regard to the trotting season soon to open, the most enthusiastic predictions are freely made. The purses hung up by various tracks throughout the country are unusually large, and the entries are very numerous. If it shall chance, as many trotting magnates and trainers believe it will, that the record is broken before snow flies, the sport will receive a new impetus, whose influence will undoubtedly be felt for some years to come. It is realized, however, that the present record of 2:03¾, held by Alix, is not an easy thing to beat. If it is bested, the horse that accomplishes the seemingly impossible will no doubt be as popular as was Maud S in the day of her greatest glory and may even exceed "Trilby" as a fad.

In the meantime experiments in the way of crossing hackney and trotting blood will be carried on with great system. One of the pictures given with this article is a portrait of Big Bones, a large, massive gray horse with a trotting record of 2:23½. This horse is the only known successful trotter from a cross between Percheron and trotting stock. It is believed by his admirers that he could be easily sent at a 2:18 gait or possibly less, and there are those who believe that a new breed of valuable carriage horses, stronger than any that have preceded them, but still able to make very good time, may be introduced by continued crossings of the same sort. Big Bones is owned somewhere in New York state.

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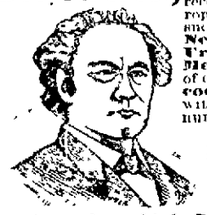

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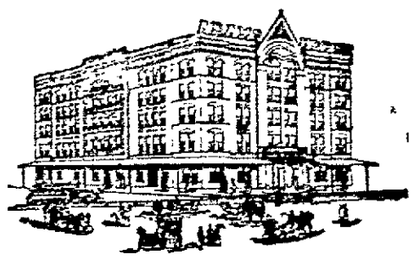

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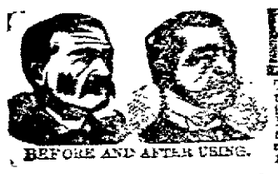

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Office of the Pioneer Press Co.,
C. W. Hornick, Supt.
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Dear Sirs—I have been a tobacco fiend for many years, and during the past two years have smoked fifteen to twenty cigars regularly every day. My whole nervous system became affected, until my physician told me I must give up the use of tobacco for the time being at least. I tried the so-called "Keeley Cure," "No-To-Bac," and various other remedies, but without success, until I accidentally learned of your "Baco-Curo." Three weeks ago to-day I commenced using your preparation, and to-day I consider myself completely cured; I am in perfect health, and the horrible craving for tobacco, which every inveterate smoker fully appreciates, has completely left me. I consider your "Baco-Curo" simply wonderful, and can fully recommend it.

Yours very truly, C. W. HORNICK.

Rodden, Ill., Jan 14, 1895

Eureka Chemical & Mfg. Co., La Crosse Wis.

Dear Sirs—I have been a tobacco fiend for thirty-three years and during the past two years have used chewing tobacco very extensively. My nervous system being affected considerable. I have often tried to give up the use of tobacco, but always failed, until I bought three boxes of your "Baco-Curo." I used tobacco at the same time while taking "Baco-Curo," and after a week I lost the appetite for tobacco—smoking or chewing. I am enjoying better health and consider your "Baco-Curo" the safest, most harmless and reliable remedy for to break the tobacco habit.

Yours truly, JOHN RODDEN,
Postmaster, Rodden, Ill.

Rodden, Ill., Jan 17 1895.

Eureka Chemical & Mfg. Co., La Crosse Wis.

Dear Sirs—I have used chewing tobacco very extensively the past thirty years. I tried so-called "No-To-Bac" and other remedies, but without success, until I bought three boxes of your "Baco-Curo." I continued chewing tobacco while taking the preparation and find that the horrible craving for tobacco has left me, and I consider myself cured. I can fully recommend "Baco-Curo" to any person wishing to break themselves of the tobacco habit.

Yours very truly, D. S. WHITE.

Independence, Wis., Jan. 23, 1895.

Eureka Chemical & Mfg. Co., LaCrosse, Wis.

Gentlemen—Last summer I furnished Mr James Reid, of the town of Burnside, Trempealeau Co., with three boxes of your "Baco-Curo." He had chewed tobacco for over forty years and the last year used over sixty-five pounds. He commenced using "Baco-Curo" and one box did not have the effect, when he had used about one-half of the second box, he began to lose his taste for tobacco, and when he had used one-half of the third box he had lost all his appetite for it, and is now entirely cured.

Yours truly, J. C. TAYLOR, Druggist.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

This is to certify that I, William S. Sawyer of Atlantic, County of Cass, State of Iowa, having been an inveterate smoker of tobacco bought three boxes of "Baco-Curo" Dec. 21, 1894. Began taking same according to directions and can say that I am completely cured of the tobacco habit "Baco-Curo" is simply wonderful and I recommend it to all who are slaves to the tobacco habit and wish to be cured. I am in perfect health and have not felt so well in years. That terrible craving, which every tobacco user has more or less, has completely disappeared and I feel like a new man. Hoping that this may do some one good and lead them to try this wonderful remedy, "Baco-Curo," I remain, Yours truly,

WM. S. SAWYER, Atlantic, Iowa.

Clayton, Nevada Co., Ark., Jan. 28, 1 95.

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Gentlemen—For forty years I used tobacco in all its forms. For twenty-five years of that time I was a great sufferer from general debility and heart disease. For fifteen years I tried to quit, but couldn't. I took various remedies, among others "No-To-Bac," "The Indian Tobacco Antidote," "Double Chloride of Gold," etc., etc., but none of them did me the least bit of good. Finally, however, I purchased a box of your "Baco-Curo" and it has entirely cured me of the habit in all its forms, and I have increased thirty pounds in weight and am relieved from all the numerous aches and pains of body and mind. I could write a quire of paper upon my changed feelings and condition.

Yours respectfully, P. H. MARBERY,
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WHAT MR. KRAEMER SAYS OF "BACO-CURO."

ATLANTIC, Iowa, Feb. 4, 1895.

This is to certify that I, F. D. Kraemer, of Atlantic, Iowa, was an inveterate smoker of cigarettes for more than two years.

About eight weeks ago I bought three boxes of "Baco-Curo." I began taking it according to directions, and after taking one and one-half boxes, all the desire for cigarettes left me, and I have had no desire since.

I can heartily recommend "Baco-Curo" to all who are slaves to the cigarette habit or tobacco habit in any form, and are in search of a cure. I had become so under the influence of cigarettes, I could not remember anything; could not study, unless under the influence of the drug, which is death in the end, it is plain.

Cigarettes are sapping the lives out of more boys and young men to-day, than anything that is known to the world. Boys, before it is too late get some of this remedy that killed the craving for cigarettes in me and save your young life. Restore yourself to manhood. You will feel as though you had escaped an awful doom, and you have when cured by "Baco-Curo," for you feel like a new being. I never felt better in all my life than at this present writing. I did not know what was the matter with me, until informed by the agent. He told me what was the reason I could not do anything unless under the influence of the death-dealing poison found in cigarettes. I did not believe him at first, until he explained the action on the system. [illegible] I took one box and that's [illegible] and all stopped. I am a sound person to-day. Hoping the [illegible] may reach one unfortunate victim, I remain, Yours respectfully,

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HARD FOR [illegible] VIBBER.

He Misinterprets a Note He Finds on the Side walk.

One evening, when Ban Vibber was on his way to the club, he picked up a note from the sidewalk.

"Must read," he muttered, "or can find owner?"

This is what he read: "As agreed, we will use your bones. Will send your body Thursday night to the following address: 'Miss Louise Ruthven, 22 East —th street. Is this correct?"

The note contained neither date nor signature. There was no envelope, so Ban Vibber did not know to whom it was addressed, but he determined to see Miss Louise Ruthven at once, if possible. He was on the brink of another adventure, and he might be in time to avert a tragedy.

Twenty-two East —th street had been one of the mansions of old New York. Ban Vibber was astonished to perceive that evidences of refinement still lingered in that unfashionable, far down town locality. He was more surprised when a white capped maid opened the door and presented a silver salver to receive his card.

His astonishment almost reached its climax when a bright eyed, peachy complexioned vision of beauty stood before him instead of the austere woman he had expected to see.

"Miss—Miss—Ruthven"— he stammered—"hope will pardon untimely visit —serious matter—urgent haste necessary —tragic occurrence."

"What is it? What has happened to papa? Where is he? Take me to him! We have been here such a short time, and he would go about by himself!"

"Sorry to distress—calm self—father all right. It's young woman probably friend —wants to make away with self—gives directions to have remains sent to you—poverty of family, possibly—sacrifice self—scientific purposes—note will explain."

"Remains sent to me!" exclaimed Miss Ruthven, in a horrified tone. Her cheeks were white, her eyes were widely distorted; but, as she read her paleness changed to a rosy hue, and a variety of emotions were visible in her expressive face.

She stepped to the door, rang a bell, and gave some directions to the maid, who presently returned, holding the waist of a light silk dress.

"This, Mr. Ban Vibber," said Miss Ruthven, "is the solution of the mystery. We have only been a few weeks in this country. I have a prejudice against American bones, so I had arranged with my dressmaker that she should use some English ones which I had on hand. I sent a note back to her with my bones. I suppose the messenger lost the parcel and my body, or waist, as you call it here, was sent home to me boneless. I had expected to wear the dress at Mrs Parryark's tomorrow, but now I shall have to make the best of an old one."

"Sure—look charming in anything—delighted to hear going to Mrs. Parryark's—be there myself—happy to meet under less embarrassing circumstances. Hope won't mention mistake—wouldn't like it get round among fellows at club."

That night Ban Vibber's dreams were haunted by a spectral and boneless figure which was transformed every now and then into the youthful beauty of Louise Ruthven.—Kate Field's Washington.

They Believed In Harmony.

"What we need," said the first dignified citizen as he stopped to discuss the political situation, "is a business campaign free from all personalities."

"Precisely," replied the second dignified citizen. "This personal abuse of candidates is all wrong. In fact, it is absolutely degrading. Now, in our ward, there should be no question of the election of McFinnegan"—

"What! That little nincompoop!" cried the first dignified citizen indignantly.

"Nincompoop!" exclaimed the other. "Why, sir, there is an honest man. That thieving scoundrel O'Dowd, who is running against him, does not deserve to be mentioned in the same breath."

"O'Dowd never stole the silver spoons at a banquet and pawned them for liquor," retorted the first hotly.

"Of course he didn't, but he knocked his wife down stairs with a baseball bat and stole $50 000 from an orphan"—

"Who says so?"

"McFinnegan."

"McFinnegan is a thief and a liar!"

"O'Dowd is a thug and a disreputable scoundrel."

"That's a lie!"

Biff! Bang!

And the dignified, business campaign, free from all personalities, was auspiciously opened.—Chicago Post.

Foiled.

The cadaverous man with hair uncombed, four days' growth of beard on his chin and wearing on his slender, caliper shaped legs a pair of trousers that bagged at the knees cleared his throat and addressed the young lady.

"Miss Pinkie," he said, "I am 49 years old and look older than that. My health is not good. I have little or no money. I am subject to spells of gloominess and I snore frightfully. Will you be my wife?"

"Mr. Chunkerson," answered the maiden promptly, "I will."

"I wouldn't have thought it of you, Miss Pinkie," regained the cadaverous man, with a deep sigh. "I started out this morning to see if I couldn't get myself rejected by three women of marriageable age, so as to be all ready for that tax on old bachelors in case it comes. And here I am—caught, hooked, landed! Right at the beginning. I—I hadn't counted on this, Miss Pinkie!" groaned the miserable man. "Take a week's time to think it over. I'll call again. Good morning!"—Chicago Tribune.

Is Marriage a Failure.

Have you been trying to get the best out of existence without health in your family? Have you been wearing out your life from the effects of Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint and Indigestion? Are you sleepless at night? Do you awake in the morning feeling languid, with coated tongue and sallow, haggard looks? Don't do it. A shout in the camp tells how Bacon's Celery King has cured others; it will cure you. Trial package free. Large sizes 50c. and 25c., at J. J Chambers 21 West Main street.

Spring is full of terrors to all whose constitution is not able to resist the sudden changes of temperature and other insalubrities of the season. To put the system in condition to overcome these evils, nothing is so effective as Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Take it now.

Build Up Your Health

Have you had a bad cold off and on this winter? Have you had La Grippe? Do you feel that the winter has been a hard one for you, and now that the spring is here, you would be over all your troubles if you only felt strong?

Take

good heart. All you want is to give your weakened nerves strength; natural, not fictitious strength. Then you will feel yourself build up day by day, and get that blessed feeling of strong health. You say: "That's what I want; what will do all this for me?"

DANA'S Sarsaparilla.

MIDDLETOWN TIME CARD.

The following is the time of departure of passenger trains from Middletown station beginning Nov. 25th, and continuing until further notice:

N. Y., L. E. & W. RAILROAD.

EAST BOUND.

NO.	JAMES ST.	MAIN ST
$12, Chicago Express	4:30 a m	
$10, Buffalo Express	6:01 "	
26, Middletown Way	6:34 "	6:36 a m
16, Orange Co., G. M	7:10 "	7:12 "
28, Mountain Express	8:23 "	8:25 "
38, Del. Valley E., G. M. P	10:31 "	
6, Way Mail, G. (ex Sunday)	12:58 "	1:00 p m
$ 2, Chicago Express, T	2:23 p m	
36 Way, M. P. G. T	4:43 "	4:45 "
$ 8, Chicago Limited	7:12 "	
$18, Milk	7:53 "	
$14, Wells-Fargo Express	10:40 "	
6 6, P. Jervis Local (Sun only)	8:23 a m	8:25 a m
920, Port Jervis Loca	5:15 p m	
$128, M. & C. Branch, arrive		8:13 a m
$130, M. & C. Branch, arrive		5:55 p m

WEST BOUND.

$17, Milk	7:47 a m
21, Port Jervis Way	10:39 " 10:35 a m
$ 1, Day Express	11:25 "
11 Port Je vis Local	1:04 p m 1:01 p m
33, Port Jervis Local	3:40 " 3:37 "
$36, Chicago Limited	5:02 "
27, Mountain Express	5:40 " 5:36 "
15, Orange County	6:50 " 6:45 "
25, Middletown Way, arrives	8:05 " 8:03 "
$ 7, Buffalo Express	8:30 "
29, Emigrant	9:40 "
$ 3, Chicago Express	11:32 "
601, Pc. Jervis Way (Sun only)	10:43 a m 10:40 a m
6 5, " " "	3:19 p m 3:16 p m
$17, " " "	9:42 "
$101, M. & C. Branch train	11:35 a m 11:40 a m
$115, " " "	6:55 p m

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N. Y., O. & W. RAILROAD.

LEAVE WICKHAM AVENUE.

NORTH BOUND.

Milk	8:45 a m
Day express	10:55 "
Sullivan County Express	6:15 p m
Pacific Express	10:50 "

SOUTH BOUND.

No 8	7:55 a m
Atlantic Express	8:12 "
Day Express	4:30 p m
Milk	6:45 "

N. Y., S. & W. RAILROAD.

LEAVE.

Middletown Way	6:30 a m
Accommodation	9:00 "
*Mail	4:46 p m

ARRIVE.

*Mail	12:12 p m
Accommodation	5:16 "
Middletown Way	7:45 "

*Runs Sundays.

LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES

For the information of our readers we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the fire alarm boxes in this city:

13—Wickham ave., Cor. Prince, O. & W. R. R.
15—North street and Low avenue, hat shops.
16—North street and Wisner Ave., type shop.
17—Railroad Ave. and Montgomery St.
18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
24—West Main street, corner West street.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Moehagen avenue.
213—State Hospital.
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
34—Fulton and Mill streets hat shops
35—High and Hanford streets.
36—Canal street, condensery.
37—Mulberry and Ful streets.
41—Fulton street and [illegible] avenue.
42—Academy and Hudson avenues.
43—E. Main street and Railroad avenue
45—E. Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Genung street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenues.
48—Grant street and Sprague avenue
57—Franklin Square.

38—Fairview avenue and South street.
21—Pung before a box number, denotes that a test is being made.
1 stroke denotes circuit broken.
2—2—2 strokes of bell denotes Chief's call.
3 strokes of bell denotes 12 o'clock time.
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TIME TABLE.

Adopted Nov. 25th, 1894.

STATIONS.	8. Spc 617	8. Spc 625	8. Spc 601	8	99	25	15	27	5	33	11	1	31	17
	P. M.	P. M.	A. M. P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.
Leave NEW YORK	‡ 6:30	12:30	‡ 7:45	* 8:45	‡ 7:00	* 6:30	‡ 4:30	* 8:30	* 8:00	‡ 1:00	‡ 10.30	‡ 7:45	* 9:30	* 4:15
Paterson		1:19	8:42	9:35	7:46	7:09	5:12	4:10		1:40	11:13	8:35	10:32	5:11
Turners		2:33	9:56	10:32	9:01	7:58	6:08	5:00	2:52	2:58	12:19	9:55		
Monroe		2:51	10:16		9:07		6:22	5:05	3:10	3:13	12:37	10:12		
Greycourt		3:02	10:27		9:16		6:32	5:14	3:22	3:32	12:48	10:22		
Chester		3:19	10:43		9:33		6:48		3:40	3:48	1:04	10:43		
Goshen		3:28	10:51		9:41		6:56		3:50	4:00	1:12	10:51		
Middletown		3:39	11:01		9:49		7:06		4:00	4:22	1:21	11:01		
Howells														
Otisville														
Port Jervis		4:01	11:25		9:58		7:10		4:22	‡ 5:40	1:42	11:25		
Ar. East Time.		4:10	11:55		10:20		7:34		4:30	6:02	2:05	11:55		
Ar. NEW YORK		P. M.	P. M.	* 7:25	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.
Arrive OSWEGO				A. M.										
Lv. East Time.														
Lv. OSWEGO				P. M.										
Arrive CHICAGO				Lv. Cent. Time.										

STATIONS.	17	31	1	11	33	5	27	15	25	7	29	99	8	30	6	38	8	20	10	26	12	4	14	608	620
	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Leave NEW YORK	* 4:15	* 9:35	‡ 7:45	‡ 10.30	‡ 1:00	* 8:00			‡ 6:30	* 6:30		‡ 7:00	* 8:45		* 9:07	‡ 7:22			* 8:00	‡ 8:52				‡ 11:07	‡ 7:52
Paterson	5:11		8:42	11:13	1:40				6:08	6:08		6:08	8:14		9:20	6:42				7:18	6:38			10:15	7:18
Turners			9:56	12:19	2:52				6:22	6:22		6:22	7:58		10:23	7:56				8:32	7:52			11:29	8:32
Monroe				12:25	2:58				6:32	6:32		6:32	8:07		10:32	8:06				8:41	8:01			11:38	8:41
Greycourt			10:03	12:37	3:10				6:41	6:41		6:41	8:16		10:41	8:15				8:48	8:10			11:47	8:48
Chester			10:16	12:48	3:23				6:54	6:54		6:54	8:27		10:54	8:27				8:57	8:23			11:57	8:57
Goshen			10:19	12:51	3:26				6:57	6:57		6:57	8:30		10:57	8:30				9:00	8:26			12:00	9:00
Middletown			10:27	1:00	3:33				7:05	7:05		7:05	8:38		11:05	8:38				9:08	8:34			12:08	9:08
Howells			10:43	1:16	3:49				7:21	7:21		7:21	8:54		11:21	8:54				9:24	8:50			12:24	9:24
Otisville			10:51	1:24	3:57				7:29	7:29		7:29	9:02		11:29	9:02				9:32	8:58			12:32	9:32
Port Jervis			11:01	1:34	4:07				7:39	7:39		7:39	9:12		11:39	9:12				9:42	9:08			12:42	9:42
Ar. East Time.			11:25	2:05	4:30				8:05	8:05		8:05	9:40		12:05	9:40				10:05	9:30			1:05	10:05
Ar. CHICAGO			* 7:25																						
Lv. Cent. Time.			P. M.																						

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NORTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	11 Milk	1 Don't stop exp	7 Stuff Co Exp	5 * Pacific Exp
N. Y. leave	A M	A M	P M	P M
Franklin St.	3 30	7 40	3 00	7 35
W. 42d St.	3 45	7 55	3 15	7 45
Weehawken	4 00	8 10	3 30	8 05
Cornwall	6 10	9 45	5 00	9 40
W. Cornwall	6 22	9 53	5 08	9 48
Orr's Mills	6 25	9 55	5 21	n10 02
Little Brit'n	6 44	f10 03	5 36	n10 15
Burnside	7 00	f10 16	5 42	10 20
Campbell H.	7 11	10 22	5 47	10 25
Stony Ford	7 21	f10 27	6 05	10 38
M'town ar				10 38
Main St lv	7 47	10 43	6 05	10 40
M'town ar	7 50	10 45	6 15	f10 50
lv	8 45	f10 55	6 31	f11 07
Winterton	9 13	f11 09	6 39	f11 13
Bloomsg'b'gh	9 27	11 15	6 43	n11 17
Wurtsboro	9 33	11 19	6 52	11 27
Summitville	9 48	11 30	7 15	
Ellenville ar	10 15	11 50	7 26	12 12
Fallsburgh	10 45	12 05	7 34	n12 20
Hurleyville	11 00	12 12	7 43	n12 28
Liberty Falls	11 15	n12 22	7 50	12 37
Liberty	11 30	12 29	8 02	n12 49
Parksville	11 45	12 40	8 15	12 57
L'y'gst'n M'r	12 00	12 53	Noon	1 07
Rockland	Noon	1 08	P M	1 07
Hancock Jct		12 00	27	3 00
Walton		2 45	13 45	3 45
Delhi		3 40	11 20	
Sidney		3 40	3 50	3 40
New Berlin	49		11	
N'rwich ar	A M	4 30	5 50	4 33
lv	7 09	4 35	7 30	4 40
Oneid' Castle	11 15	6 10	9 10	6 03
Oneida ar	11 25	6 20	9 25	6 13
lv	11 35	6 20	9 25	6 13
Fulton	5 05	8 12	11 25	7 51
Oswego ar	6 00	8 37	11 50	8 15
	P M	P M	A M	A M

SOUTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	6 * Atlantic Exp	42 Northern Exp	14 Delaware Exp	50 Local	2 Day Exp.	28 Night Exp
	P M	P M	A M	A M	P M	P M
Oswego lv	10 35	2 35	7 00	6 45		
Oneida ar	12 29	5 05	12 35	8 46		
lv	12 33	5 15	1 10	8 50		
Oneid' Castle	12 49	5 32	1 15	8 53		
Norwich ar	2 05	7 15	5 45	10 37		
lv	2 15	P M	6 15	P M		
New Berlin			10 02			
Sidney	3 20	7 20	11 40	9 42		
Delhi lv			11 20			
Walton	4 15		12 15	10 38		
Hancock Jct	5 05	8	1 20	10		
Rockland	5 58		2 10	P M		
L'y'gst'n M'r	6 15		2 27	3 08		
Parksville			2 37	3 18		
Liberty	6 39		2 51	3 35		
Liberty Falls			n2 56	3 41		
Hurleyville			3 06	3 51		
Fallsburgh	7 07		3 11	4 16		
Centreville			n3 35	4 42		
Mount'n D.			3 53	4 59		
Ellenville lv			4 15			
Summitville	7 32		4 40	5 15		
Wurtsboro			f4 58	5 33		
Bloom'g bgh			5 02	5 37		
Winterton			n5 08	5 42		
M'town ar	8 02		5 20	6 10		
lv	8 45		5 55	6 45		
M'town						
Main St.	8 11		5 22	6 47		
Stony Ford			f5 16	7 15		
Campb'll H.			5 32	7 26		
Burnside			f5 37	7 38		
Little Brit'n			f5 53	7 55		
Orr's Mills			6 12	8 15		
W. Cornwall			6 19	8 22		
Cornwall	9 03		6 25	8 30		
Weehawken	10 39		7 30	n9 40		
New York ar						
W. 42d St. lv	10 40		7 45	10 00		
N. Y. ar						
Fifth St. lv	10 55		7 55	10 15		
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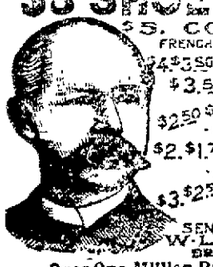

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GOSHEN CHURCH ANNIVERSARY.

The Presbyterian Church Again Crowded—Addresses by Dr. Judson and Dr. Burrell, of New York—To night's Fine Musical Programme

From Our Goshen Correspondent.

The interest in the Presbyterian Church anniversary exercises is unabated, as was evidenced, last night, by the assemblage of a large congregation. In selecting the speakres for the different services, Rev. Mr. Clark has used good judgment, for thus far all have given such excellent addresses that it is difficult to give preference to any.

Last night the speakers were Rev. Edward Judson, D. D., of the Memorial Baptist Church, of New York, and Rev. D. J. Burrell, D. D., of the Reformed Church, of New York. Their eloquence was of that high order which awed and inspired the congregation during the entire continuance of their addresses.

The musical programmes, too, as prepared by Mr. W. W. Whidditt, the organist and choirmaster, and rendered each evening by the well-trained chorus and the New York artists, have been a most pleasing part of the exercises throughout.

Last night, after the organ prelude and the singing of hymn 471, a prayer was said by Rev. Mr. McGowen, of the Monticello Presbyterian Church. This concluded, the choir sang "The Marvelous Work," from the Creation, Miss Hilke taking the soprano solo part.

Rev. Luther Littell, of Mt. Hope, then read the latter portion of the 17th chaper of St. John, followed by an alto air, "Only Tired," rendered in a sweet and beautiful manner by Miss Leverich.

The first speaker of the evening was Rev. Edward Judson, D. D., who was introduced by Rev. Mr. Clark. He took as his subject, "Abide in Christ." He opened his address by saying:

"I am deeply grateful to you for inviting me to be present on this auspicious occasion. I can hardly believe my eyes when I look upon this beautiful church and realize that it has existed throughout the period of 175 years. When I arrived in Goshen, to-day, I expected to be met by an aged, gray haired, gray bearded man, a veritable Rip Van Winkle, as the pastor of this church. Imagine my surprise to find this preacher (pointing to Mr. Clark) with whom the trials of 175 years have dealt so gently."

After congratulating Mr. Clark on his prosperous surroundings, on the beautiful and substantial church edifice and the prosperity of the congregation the speaker took up his theme. He said: I am glad that denominational partitions are getting thinner; that congregations are constantly growing closer together and that brotherly love among christians is becoming more popular. The whole christian life may be summed up in the words, "Abide in Christ."

Referring to church music he continued: I believe in having a standard high up. All the people want is a familiarity with the best. By the class of music that has been given here, to-night, Goshen people are familiar with the best and highest class of music. That, in my opinion, should be more universally adopted in churches.

At the conclusion of Mr. Judson's remarks hymn 491 was sung and Mr. Clark introduced Rev. D. J. Burrell, D. D., who took as his theme "The church and the people."

Mr. Burrell is an interesting speaker, and one calculated to interest a congregation of whatever denomination. His remarks, last night, were emphasized by frequent humorous character sketches.

The speaker concluded his remarks by pronouncing his blessing upon the church, its pastor, the congregation and the people of Goshen.

A soprano air, "O, for the Wings of a Dove," was creditably sung by Miss Hilke, followed by prayer by Rev. Mr. McGowen. A duet, "The Lord is My Shepherd," was then rendered by Miss Hilke and Miss Leverich. After the singing of "Christ is Risen," by the chorus, the benediction was pronounced by Rev. Dr. Judson.

To-night, addresses will be delivered by President A. V. V. Raymond, D. D., of Union College, and Chancellor H. M. MacCraken, D. D., L.L. D., of the University of New York. The musical programme will be as follows:

Organ Prelude.....
Chorus The Heavens are Telling.....Creation
Selection.....Schumann Quartette
Baritone Air.....Grant Odell
Double Quartette.....From Elijah
Basso Duet—The Lord is a Man of War.....Israel
Messrs. Shaw and Odell.
Selection.....Schumann Quartette
Organ Postlude—Fugue in G. Minor.....Bachc

Extensive Purchase of Sullivan County Real Estate.

From the Liberty Gazette.

Alden S. Swan, formerly collector of the city of Brooklyn and a gentleman well known in financial circles, has purchased of M. D. Stevens his entire property at Stevensville, including Stevensville Lake, and consisting of about fourteen hundred acres of land. Mr. Swan hopes to enjoy a little quiet in Sullivan county. It is probable that he will greatly improve his purchase, but nothing is known, as yet, as to his intention.

A Bursted Water Main.

A bad break in the old cement water pipes occured on Cortland street, above Linden avenue, this morning.

THE WHEELMEN'S MEET.

List of the Events on the Campbell Track on Decoration Day.

The second annual meet of the Middletown Wheelmen's Association will take place on the Campbell Track, on Decoration Day.

A series of eight races has been arranged, and a total of $300 in prizes will be distributed.

The 24th Separate Company's Military Band will discourse music from the grand stand between the races.

Entries for the handicap races will close on May 23d; all other races on May 27th.

The admission will be fifty cents for gentlemen and twenty-five cents for ladies.

The following is the list of events and prizes:

One mile novice—Silver medal, $6; cyclo meter $2.
One-half mile, Orange county championship—Gold medal, $14; silver medal $6.
One-half mile scratch, open—Diamond pin, $25; field glass, $15.
One mile scratch, open to Orange county riders—Gold watch, $25; pearl opera glass, $10.
One mile scratch, open—Diamond, $50; gold stop watch, $25.
One-half mile, Middletown Wheelmen championship—Club uniform, $12; sweater, $5.
Two mile handicap, open—Diamond stud, $35; gold watch, $25.
One mile handicap, open to Orange county riders—Diamond pin, $15; silk umbrella, $5.

MARKSMEN'S BADGES PRESENTED.

The Handsome Bronze Decorations Presented to Members of the 24th Entitled to Wear Them—A Dance Follows the Presentation.

The Armory was filled to overflowing, last evening, with a merry crowd of young people who were attracted there by the announcement that a dance would follow the ceremony of the presentation of marksmen's badges to the successful militiamen who made the necessary scores on the out-door range last fall.

Shortly after 8 o'clock the company assembled in the drill hall, all of the members reporting for duty but one, who was absent owing to illness. Full dress uniform was worn.

After a short drill Captain McIntyre called the following members to the front and centre and with appropriate remarks presented the handsome bronze badges:

Sharpshooters—Captain A. E. McIntyre, three years.

Marksmen—two years, Second Lieut. J. D. Stivers, First Sgt. Decker, Sgt. J. F. Dugan, Corporals F. C. Royce, J. E Barnes, Private J. F. Dusenberry.

Marksmen—one year, First Lieut. L. S. Stivers, Asst. Surgeon M. C. Ashley, Sergts. E. C. Strack, F. B. Hathaway, Corporals J. W. Conkling, J. A. Hoar, Privates G. W. Bowler, W. W. Clark, E. E. Bush, J. E. Decker, O. W. Donald, M. Dudley, C. T. Dickerson, W. Hook, C. B. Hill, G. M. Millspaugh, T. D. Paret, E. E. Rose, J. J. Smith, A. R. Skinner, J J. Sitter, H. L. Steedman, Philip Whitlock and R. A. Wallace.

Messrs. Berg, Bright, Gordon, Volmer and Colwell, of the 24th Separate Company Orchestra, played several selections, after which dancing was begun and continued for several hours after midnight.

A pleasant feature of the occasion was the presence of a carload of young people from Goshen, who had chartered a special car on the electric road. They were warmly welcomed and made to feel perfectly at home.

The hops given by the 24th are steadily growing in popular favor, and it is only necessary for the company to announce its intention to give a hop in order to have the large drill hall filled with dancers.

Armory Badge Matches.

The armory badge matches will be held as follows: For marksmen, Monday, April 29; for sharpshooters, Monday, May 6; for experts, Monday, April 13

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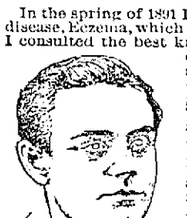

In the spring of 1891 I took that dreadful skin disease, Eczema, which turned into blood poison. I consulted the best known specialists in this city. They treated me for seven months but I never derived a particle of good from any of them. They had given it up as a hopeless cure. I was covered with sores from head to foot; I had running sores all over me, some of them as large as a box of your CUTICURA. It cost me hundreds of dollars with these so-called specialists. My condition was terrible, life was almost a burden to me. I could not eat, drink, or sleep. I was unable to walk and had given myself up as dead. I tried all medicines imaginable, until a friend who had got relief advised me to try CUTICURA REMEDIES. I sent out and got them, and when I took the first dose of your CUTICURA RESOLVENT I felt a little better; with three boxes of your most valuable CUTICURA and one bottle of CUTICURA RESOLVENT I was a new man. In three days I was up walking around and attending to my business, and it is the CUTICURA and CUTICURA RESOLVENT that saved me from the jaws of death. This is two years ago. I wanted to see if it had been driven out of my system, and I can say I have never had any trouble since for two years. GEO. F. BRIGHT,
2025 Penn. Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Sold throughout the world. Price, CUTICURA, 50c; SOAP, 25c.; RESOLVENT, $1. POTTER DRUG AND CHEM. CORP., Sole Proprietors, Boston.

"How to Cure Skin Diseases," mailed free.

PIMPLES, blackheads, red, rough, chapped, and oily skin cured by CUTICURA SOAP.

Nervous Muscular Weakness Instantly relieved by a **Cuticura Plaster**, because it vitalizes the nerve forces and in one cures nervous pains, weakness, and numbness.

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Some Attractive Features—Pages for Women and Children and Also for Men.

—The children's page of the Woman's Edition of the ARGUS, edited by Miss Mary C. Van Duzer, will be one of the most interesting and attractive in the paper. The page will be adorned with pictures of twenty-nine pretty "rulers of the future."

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—One of the features of the paper will be the woman's page, edited by Miss Cassie D. Friend.

—All members of the committees and heads of departments on the woman's paper are requested to meet at the office in the Low Building at 3 o'clock, to-morrow afternoon.

The West Shore Must Pay $10,000 for a Hand.

In the Supreme Court at Kingston, yesterday, Thomas B. Belcb, of Saugerties, was awarded a verdict of $10,000 against the Central-Hudson, lessee of the West Shore, for the loss of a hand, run over and crushed at a crossing near Saugerties, August 14, 1893. The defense was that the plaintiff did not lose his hand in the way he claimed, but that he chopped it off with a hatchet in order to get accident insurance and create a claim against the railroad company. This defense was, however, abandoned.

It May Do As Much for You.

Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill., writes that he had a severe Kidney trouble for many years, with severe pains in his back and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so called kidney cures but without any good result. About a year ago be began use of Electric Bitters and found relief at once. Electric Bitters is especially adapted to the cure of all Kidney and liver troubles and ofter gives almost instant relief. One trial will prove our statement. Prices only 50c. for large bottle at McMonagle & Rogers Drug store.

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AUCTION, to night at 42 West Main street—Pictures and all kinds of musical instruments Everbody come. 14d5t P. F. KAUFMAN, Auctioneer.

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PRICES on custom made shoes cut in two. Fine calf shoes, hand sewed, from $4 per pair. CRAIG'S, NO. 22 WEST MAIN ST.

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BY special request of a large number who purchased photo club tickets of Gilgannon, I have decided to redeem them for April. Dont delay. EVANS, Successor to Gilgannon, 7 West Main street. 4d3mMy11

FOR SALE—Old established fire, life and accident insurance agency. Good reason for selling. Address "No. 1 BUSINESS," Lock Box 282

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BOOKS and Magazines bound at reasonable rates at McINTYRE'S, No. 32 North street.

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A GOOD Cook wanted at the Orange Hotel; good wages will be paid. 92dtf EDSALL & VANNESS, Goshen, N. Y.

WALL PAPER.

At the office of B. V. Wolf you will find the latest styles of wall paper, at greatly reduced prices, supplied from the warehouses of Wolf Brothers, 829 Broadway, Brooklyn. Call and select. 14d1mMy23 B. V. WOLF.

A CRY FOR HELP

RESULT OF A PROMPT REPLY.

Two Open Letters that Should Suggest to Thousands of American Women to go and do Likewise.

[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

LITTLE FALLS, MINN., *May* 11, 1894.

"I am suffering, and need your aid. I have terrible pains in both sides of my womb, extending down the front of my limbs and lower part of my back, attended by backache and pains in the back of the neck and ears.

The doctors have given me opiates to quiet the pain. I have a very high fever nearly all the time. I am nervous, and cannot stand. My doctor says I must keep in bed. Now I place myself under your care. I am only twenty-one years old, and too young to suffer so much." — MRS. CHAS. PARKER.

The above letter was received by Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., May 15, 1894, which received a prompt reply.

The following letter reached Mrs. Pinkham about five months later. Note the result.

LITTLE FALLS, MINN., *Sept.* 21, 1894.

"I deem it my duty to announce the fact to my fellow-sufferers of all female complaints, that *Lydia E. Pinkham's* treatment and Vegetable Compound have entirely cured me of all the pains and suffering I was enduring when I wrote you last May. I followed your advice to the letter, and the result is simply wonderful. May Heaven bless you and the good work you are doing for your sex!" —MRS. CHAS. PARKER.

All the druggists in town say there is a tremendous demand for *Lydia E. Pinkham's* Compound; and it is doing lots of good among the women.

If you are sick and in trouble write to Mrs. Pinkham. Relief awaits you.

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PROPOSALS FOR BARN.

Bids will be received for erection of Barn on Grounds of State Homeopathic Hospital till noon on April 26th. Bids must be accompanied by certified check for $500. Bond will be required of successful bidder. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved. Plans and specifications may be seen at Hospital after April 16th. 9dto25 W. H. CLARK, Chairman of Committee.

HELP WANTED.

BY Fairly competent women, each with an infant or young child, situations in the country (general housework, plain cooking, etc.) Small wages expected. Fare paid by association. Apply State Charities Aid Association, United Charities Building, 105 East Twenty second street, New York city. 74d&w3mJu7

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Any intelligent man or woman, seeking employment, and ambitious to make from $40 to $150 monthly, can secure same by addressing Globe Bible Publishing Co., 723 Chesnut St., Philadelphia, Pa. No capital required, nor stamp for reply. Young man or woman willing to earn a few hundred dollars in the next two months preferred. 13dd6t

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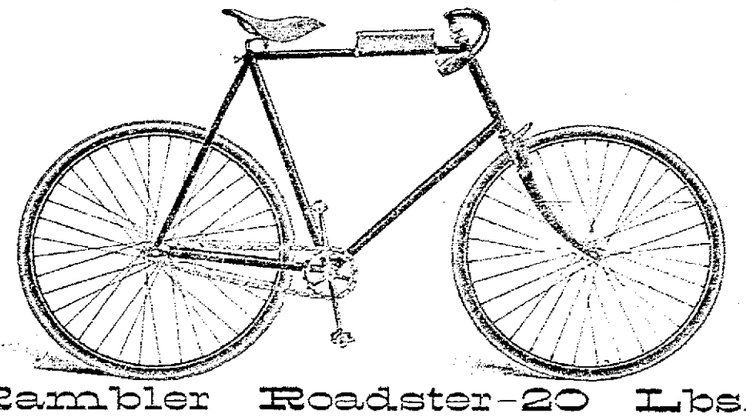

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I guarantee your wheel against puncture. Have several second-hand wheels, taken in trade, such as Stearns, Clevelands, Majestics, Ben-Hurs, Columbias, Centrals, all in good running order, which I will sell cheap. Wheels for rent. Wheels repaired.

Charles L. Swezy, 24 North St.,
MIDDLETOWN, N. Y.

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By this name we wish to introduce Knee Pants of our own make, made in the following manner:—Double seat and double knee, patent waist band, never come off suspender buttons, sizes 4 to 15, at 50 cts Come and look at these, and you will never buy any other Knee Pants but

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Full line of Fauntleroy Waists. Remember our "Union Waist." Boys' Waists from 15c up.

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We want to call your attention to our Millinery Department. We have all the latest styles in trimmed and untrimmed hats and bonnets, flowers, ribbons, jets and straw braids.

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